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GAME RAINED OUT—Perham Field in West Paris lies under a blanket of water from the Little Androscoggin River. Last week's flooding, which got still higher after this photo was taken, may have left the field unplayable, and could force West Paris' favorite home team to scheduled all its games for the upcoming Pine Tree League season on the road. (Photo by Michael Daniels)

Selectmen start search for new chief of police

Following a closed-door session, the Bethel Board of Selectmen decided to use local resources in the search for a new police chief. The most recent chief, Eric Wright, submitted his resignation two weeks ago; it became effective Monday. (See last week's Citizen for details.)

Prior to going behind closed doors, the selectmen heard from two local citizens with police experience: L. Bill Williams, of the Oxford County Sheriff's Department, urged the selectmen to move as quickly as possible on getting the police force up to its authorized strength of one chief and one full-time officer. Presently, the town is being covered by one reserve officer, plus some coverage from the sheriff's deputies and state police. "It's summertime," L. Williams warned, "and everyone is short—the state, the county and the town."

Rickie Osgood, who resigned from the local force last month, told the board the town needed police policies as well as police officers. "There's no policies," he said. "That's the reason I got done." He said that without policies the Town and the individual officers could be open to lawsuits.

The board apparently took the advice of the two men to heart. After returning to open session, the three selectmen present voted to begin the search for a new police chief immediately and to appoint three citizens at large to join with the selectmen and the town manager in reviewing the resumes of candidates and conducting the interviews. (Selectmen Arlan Jodrey and Victor Coolidge were absent.)

It was decided to advertise the position in the state's major daily papers plus the weekly papers in Oxford County.

The town manager urged anyone interested in helping with the search for a new chief to contact the town office.

Last time town officials undertook to find a new chief, in 1987, the search was conducted through the Maine Municipal Association and cost taxpayers \$2,500. That search took about eight months.

Town Manager Rodney Lynch also informed the board that he will hire Reserve Officer Dale Bellman as a full-time officer. Officer Bellman was one of

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Is Perham's diamond too rough for home team?

Last week's rain may have washed out the home season for West Paris' favorite baseball team.

Mark Thurlow, player-manager of the Keiser Homes Westies, said he was afraid the surface at Perham Field would be unplayable following its flooding last Friday by the Little Androscoggin River. If the Pine Tree League team is unable to play its home games at Perham Field, the players would be forced to either play all their games on the road or to find another home-field site, Mr. Thurlow said. He added that he planned to contact SAD #4 officials to discuss the possibility of using the Telstar diamond as the team's home field.

The playing surface at Perham Field, which has been flooded in the past, was not great even before last week's inundation. But the friendly fans and relaxed, down-home atmosphere at the park made it unique—and an asset for Keiser Homes in their home schedule. "It's the most exciting baseball field in the area," Mr. Thurlow said.

Last year the team racked up the best regular season record in the Pine Tree League, but lost the championship series to Lewiston, three games to one.

This year's season begins on May 30, and Lewiston is once again the team to beat, Mr. Thurlow said. And Keiser Homes will be trying, even if that means playing all their games on the road.

"We will play," he promised, "come hell or high water."

Flooding causes less damage than in 1987, but may cost towns more

It wasn't much of a weekend for a drive. "Trails that had never washed out before were just gone," said local jeepster Geoff Gaudreau, who led a 45-vehicle Jeep Jambores over local dirt roads and old county roads.

But the jeeps were creepers—though you certainly can't call them "sticks-in-the-mud"—as they constantly found themselves blocked by impassable flooding and washouts. Meanwhile, out on the larger, more maintained roads, motorists were also encountering obstacles created by last week's interminable, occasionally heavy rains.

Schools in SAD #17 and SAD #4 never



THE NORMALLY TRANQUIL LITTLE ELLIS RIVER, at Andover, became a raging torrent from the weeklong rains. While most people agreed the area needed the rain, most also agreed that it was too much of a good thing.

opened Friday as rivers and streams rose, and by Friday afternoon many low-lying highways and highways were underwater, with traffic either blocked or reduced to one lane. And when the waters receded, they left some roads badly eroded, others totally washed out.

Bethel suffered \$10,500-worth of flood damage to its roads. Other towns in the area reported lost culverts, undermining, and washouts. "It's a lot of minor damage that's going to end up costing a lot of money," said Greenwood Selectman Ray Seames.

At one point during the deluge, the area received nearly five inches of rain in one 36-hour period. At the U. S. Geological Survey gauging station, in Berlin, N.H.,

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THE RAINS DIDN'T DAMPEN THE ENTHUSIASM of the crowds at Neil O'Brien's sportsman's auction, in East Bethel, Saturday and Sunday. It just forced everyone to get under one of Neil's big tents. (Photo by Jeanne Boelsma)

James River disputes warning on eating fish from below mill

The James River Corporation has challenged the basis used by the State of New Hampshire for issuing an advisory against eating fish from the Androscoggin River below the company's paper mill in Berlin. "Clearly," a company report states, "no fish consumption advisory would be warranted due to the Berlin/Gorham [mill] discharges."

The New Hampshire advisory, issued by the Bureau of Health Risk Assessment (see last week's Citizen), warns people in the area to limit their consumption of fish caught in the river below the paper mill to not more than one or two fish per year. Pregnant women and nursing mothers were warned not to eat any fish caught in the river—from below the mill to the state border.

The fish are contaminated with dioxin, a byproduct of the kraft papermaking process. Fish store dioxin—which is present in minute quantities in the mill's discharges—and dioxin has been demonstrated to cause cancer in laboratory animals. Fish caught in the river above the mill were found to have no dioxin in their flesh and were deemed

Rainey hearing June 5

The Superior Court, at South Paris, will hear a motion to suppress evidence in the Gary Rainey murder case.

Mr. Rainey, of Greenwood, is charged with the murder of his stepdaughter and her boyfriend, in Bethel, and the attempted murder of his stepson, in Locke Mills. The motion to suppress is in regards to certain incriminating statements Mr. Rainey made to police in the parking lot at the Oxford County Sheriff's Office last Oct. 22, when he turned himself in shortly after the murders.

Court-appointed attorney Bob Russell will present the motion at the June 5 hearing, scheduled for 1 p.m. An actual trial date has not yet been set.

ed perfectly safe to eat, according to New Hampshire officials.

The James River Corp. report, issued in response to an EPA proposal to limit the discharge of dioxin by kraft paper mills, argues that "the New Hampshire fish consumption advisory is technically flawed and unnecessary." The report charges New Hampshire authorities with using new EPA standards for safe levels of dioxin instead of the much more lenient standards set years ago by the Food and Drug Administration.

The State of Maine, when it issued its advisory (four years ago) warning people to eat no more than one fish a month from the river, used the FDA standards for safe levels of dioxin.

Maine, based partly on its existing advisory on the dangers of eating fish from the Androscoggin, has supported the EPA's proposed crackdown on the James River mill, whose discharge license expires in September.

The James River report takes the State of Maine to task for its position, pointing out that the fish tested in Maine were from a portion of the river below the Boise (Rumford) and IP (Jay) mills. "The dioxin levels found in the fish that are the basis of the fish consumption advisory (issued by the State of Maine) cannot be shown to be attributable to the Berlin/Gorham mills."

A Maine public health official told The Citizen the dioxin levels found in the fish caught below Jay were three times as high as the levels found in the fish below the Berlin mill. He pointed out that the consumption limits in the Maine advisory are not as stringent as the New Hampshire limits because Maine relied on the only guidelines available at the time, which were the FDA guidelines.

A New Hampshire public health official told The Citizen the difference between the consumption limits set by each state were partially the result of the

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W'stock attempt to take land by eminent domain stalled by court action

An attempt by Woodstock officials to resolve a long-standing property dispute by invoking the town's right of eminent domain has been stymied, at least temporarily, by the court.

The Board of Selectmen had scheduled a special town meeting for tomorrow (Thursday) evening, at which residents would have been asked to approve the town's attempt to take over a piece of Lake Christopher shoreland at the end of Lake Street.

The property in question is quite small—an open-V-shaped piece of beachfront measuring approximately 20 feet on each side. It has long been a point of contention between the town and Harold and Violet Clukey, whose property—which is currently for sale—abuts the Lake Christopher end of Lake Street.

The Clukeys responded to the eminent domain threat by seeking a restraining order preventing the town from holding the meeting. Town officials subsequently agreed to postpone the meeting until Superior Court Justice Carl O. Bradford could rule on the restraining order. Town Manager Vern Maxfield said, Justice Bradford is scheduled to take the matter up Monday.

According to the town manager, there is no firm documentation for ownership of the piece of land, which is just north of the town dock.

Townpeople had traditionally used the spot for swimming. Mr. Maxfield said, until approximately 20 years ago, when the Clukeys erected a chain fence separating the piece off from the town dock property.

Ownership of the property has been a matter of ongoing dispute ever since, Mr. Maxfield said. At one point in the mid-1960s the Clukeys moved the fence

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Local highways to benefit from MDOT's new 2-year plan

A number of local roads and bridges will be improved as part of the Maine Department of Transportation's proposed two-year work plan, submitted to the Legislature last week. Total cost of all the submitted projects—including rail, air, and marine—is \$338 million; \$175 million of this would be federal money.

Local projects include the following:

- Light resurfacing of the interchange of Rte. 2 and Rte. 5 in Bethel, estimated cost, \$120,000.
- Reconstruction of Lovers' Lane, in

Bethel, beginning ¼-mile northwesterly of Rte. 5 and extending northwesterly ½-mile; estimated cost \$355,000.

• Replacement of the deficient bridge over the Androscoggin River bridge, in Gilead, located ½-mile north of Rte. 2; estimated cost, \$210,000.

• Replacement of the deficient First Bridge over Pond Stream, in Hanover, located 1 mile north of Rte. 2; estimated cost \$170,000.

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IGA expansion gets approval; Sunday sales out

Carl Glidden, owner of the Bethel IGA, received the go-ahead from the Bethel Planning Board last Wednesday night for the planned expansion of his Main Street supermarket. The expansion will increase the overall size of the local IGA to 13,300 square feet, with 7,940 square feet of retail space—an increase of about 3,000 square feet of retail space.

The vote to approve Mr. Glidden's Site Plan Review Permit was 7-4. The only disgruntled note came from board member Donna Remington who pointed out that the enlarged supermarket will not be allowed to stay open on Sundays. [According to the state's Blue Laws, only stores with less than 5,000 square feet of retail space can stay open on Sundays.]

Mr. Glidden advised the board that state law does give Town Meeting the authority to allow a particular store to stay open on Sundays if the closure of the store is a hardship on the townspeople.

He noted that with the recent closing of the Edelweiss Country Store, doing any grocery shopping on Sunday could be a problem. He added, however, that

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Saturday 9 am-2 pm
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Opinions

It's 'sock it to me' time

You no doubt remember the unlucky characters on "Laugh In" who used to get beat up on in one way or another whenever they said "Sock it to me!" It seems that the Town of Bethel has taken the role of one of those characters in the eyes of the Department of Environmental Protection. "Sock it to 'em" seems to be the theory of the state agency when it comes to dealing with a small town.

You'll recall that the DEP, with the concurrence of the state Attorney General's office, hit the Town of Bethel with a \$35,000 fine as part of a proposed consent agreement on the town's ailing sewer plant.

Granted, from 1982 to 1986, the sewer plant did—with the knowledge of Bethel officials—dump untreated wastes into the Androscoggin River whenever there was a storm runoff because the plant could not handle inflows in excess of 190,000 gallons per day. (Currently, the plant cannot handle inflows greater than 120,000 gallons per day.)

Certainly the Town should be fined because of the action—or inaction—of the officials who accepted the plant and allowed it to operate in an ineffective manner. But \$35,000?

Compare the treatment accorded the City of Bangor by the DEP. Bangor has only a primary level sewer treatment facility, which eliminates only 30 percent of the bad stuff in sewage—as compared to 85 percent removal with primary and secondary treatment, such as Bethel has. The DEP, in June 1987, signed a consent agreement with Bangor whereby that city would design and install a secondary treatment facility and upgrade its sewer lines by 1992. The fine for polluting the Penobscot with 9 million gallons of sewage a day?—originally \$140,000, later reduced to \$40,000.

The DEP has done its job in the Bethel case by forcing Bethel officials to act. But—now that the officials have agreed to act, and have borrowed a half-million dollars to begin the repair work on the ailing sewer plant—the DEP should back off and not try to squeeze blood from a stone.

As was done in the case of Bangor, the DEP should suspend two-thirds of the fine pending successful completion of the repairs. hfw

Letters to the editor

To the Editor:

In response to letters I've read these past few weeks in the Bethel Citizen it seems that a few people in town are very unhappy with the progress and changes being made here.

Everyone is entitled to their own opinions, of course, but maybe we should think twice about slandering our local businesses in print for everyone to read, and try to be a bit more tactful in our wording.

While I'm on the subject, I'd like to submit a few opinions of my own. While Main Street is the business district and may not be quite as attractive as the other sections of town, it is clean, thanks to the street sweeper and clean-up committee for a terrific job.

Martha's Restaurant has a fine and varied menu, ranging from a variety of seafood dinners to prime rib of west virginia. You can enjoy a hearty meal in a pleasant atmosphere at Martha's. I also find the Bonanza Potters building very attractive and can't imagine why anyone would complain about it.

It was interesting to note a bit of praise for the former Bragdon apartments (now Dunn Apartments) on our fixing up efforts, even in our present state of clutter. But I was pleased someone noticed we are trying.

Let's continue to show respect for our fellow townspeople and let Bethel be a friendly place to live.

Renee Kennedy
Bethel

To the Editor:

To the person who took my purse from Breaux Dairy Bar on Sunday, May 7, would you please return my personal items and pictures, which are of no use to you. The photos include the only ones I have of my parents and late husband.

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James River

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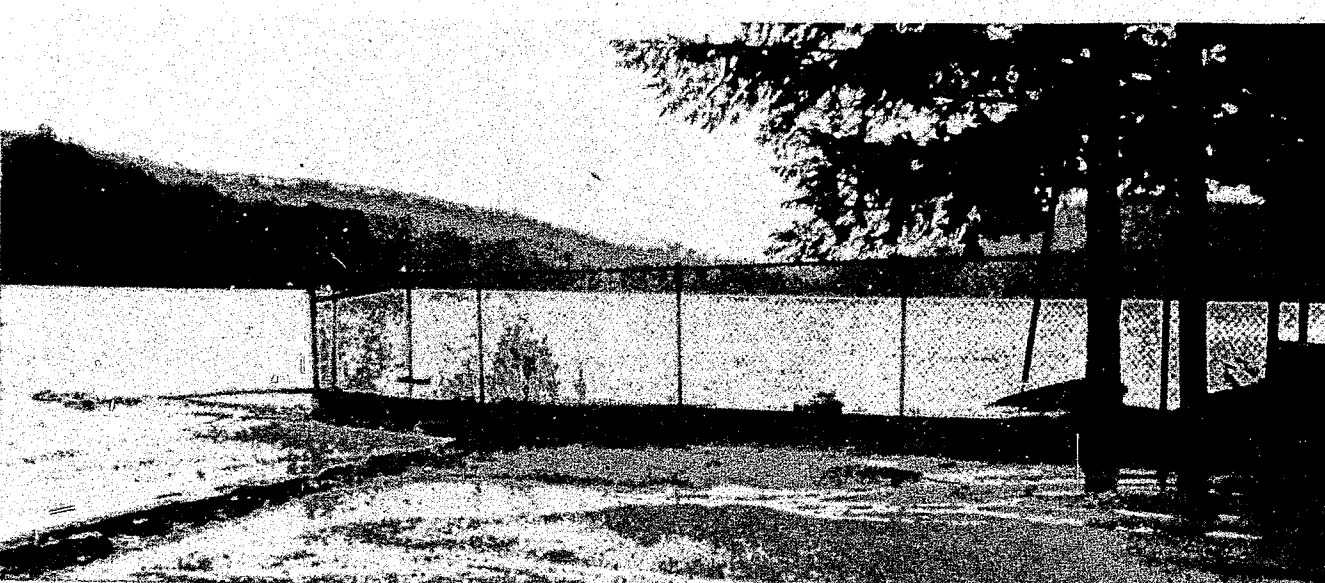
great difference between the older FDA and the newer EPA safety guidelines but also the result of more inclusive testing in New Hampshire. The Maine testing was only for dioxin, whereas the New Hampshire testing was for dioxin and furan (a toxic chemical similar to dioxin).

James River officials, although arguing that the recent New Hampshire warning against eating fish from the Androscoggin River was not warranted, would not say that it was safe to eat fish containing the mill's dioxin. A spokesman at the mill declined to comment when asked if it was safe to eat fish caught below the mill.

An official at the home office, in Richmond, Va., was also hesitant to discuss the safety issue, preferring to discuss only the guidelines used by New Hampshire officials in arriving at their decision to issue the advisory. "James River is not the one to say 'yes' they [fish] are safe or 'no' they are not safe," said Kathleen Bennett. She added, "We were frankly surprised that they [the New Hampshire public health officials] came out with that announcement."

The James River response to the EPA's proposal for drastically cutting down on the amount of dioxin permitted in mill discharges attacks the proposal from a number of different sides. The report terms the EPA's proposed limitations "unreasonable, arbitrary and capricious, and unsupported by substantial evidence, and in excess of statutory authority."

The James River mill in Berlin discharges a higher concentration of dioxin in its wastewater than any other paper mill in New England, according to the EPA. The Boise mill in Rumford is the second worst offender.



POINT OF CONTENTION—Ownership of the narrow strip of shoreland behind the chain link fence at the end of Lake Street has been the focus of a long-running argument between the Town of Woodstock and Harold and Violet Clukeys, owners of the abutting property. A recent attempt by the town to take the disputed land by eminent domain has been stalled by a legal challenge from the Clukeys.

Woodstock

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back from the roadway, but at the same time extended it further out toward the lakeshore, effectively cutting off public access to the pier.

The town has taken various legal actions to affirm its right to the land. Mr. Maxfield said, but the litigations have been expensive and so far inconclusive. Attempts at negotiating a settlement have also failed, he said.

He described the eminent domain action as an attempt to resolve the situation once and for all. "This condemnation action is not directed at the Clukeys, to take something they own," he said. "We just want to clear the record to the land [the town] created and has traditionally used. The time has come when we've got to end it one way or another."

While the town does not concede that the Clukeys have now, or have ever had, any valid ownership claims to the land, the warrant for the special town meeting would have authorized the town to pay them \$250 to cover the cost of improvements—primarily the fence and rock wharf—they have made. However, if the town does eventually take over the land, the fence will be torn down, Mr. Maxfield said.

Attempts by the Clukeys to contact the Clukeys for comment were unsuccessful.

Sen. Mitchell says...

At a recent Senate hearing on the threats of global warming, Dr. James Hansen, a scientist from the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), provided written testimony that had been substantially altered by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). Last week, the Administration refused to support an international convention on atmospheric pollution. The United States is now the only leading western nation not to endorse such a convention—22 nations publicly stated their support for such a convention last March. Last year, during the campaign, then Vice President Bush said he would "combat the greenhouse effect with the White House effect."

Unfortunately, the White House effect is to keep the United States from regaining its position as a world leader on environmental issues.

The evidence on global warming is strong, and getting stronger. We face the prospect of an unprecedented rate of global warming that could alter the entire global climate system.

Dr. Hansen of NASA testified on May 8 that he believes the greenhouse effect is accelerating, giving us less time to respond to this problem. But the Administration debates whether to support a convention to do something about the problem.

Dr. Hansen also tried to include in his testimony his belief that more frequent droughts are part of the pattern one would expect with the greenhouse effect. The Office of Management and Budget did not approve of Dr. Hansen's conclusion and changed his written testimony to make this conclusion appear less certain.

Government by censorship is unwise. Ignoring or avoiding the truth will produce policies that are unsound because they are based on inaccurate or incomplete information. The Administration's censorship is as self-defeating as it is wrong.

In a recent letter to President Bush, I joined with my Senate colleagues in urging the President to think again about the Administration's practice of censoring scientific data.

"Around the globe, nations are recognizing the threats we face and moving to control them with comprehensive policy. We are disturbed that our own country responds with silence and worse, by censoring the scientists who provide the facts that, in the past, have formed the basis for our own policy decisions," the letter stated.

"We hope that those editing the testimony of government scientists are not also editing the facts presented to you and by doing so, using the science to fit the policy they prefer—a policy we fear is based on avoidance."

"We are asking for your personal assurances that the testimony of government scientists, to be delivered to Congress or any other body, remains unaltered on questions of science, and that these scientists know that their scientific conclusions will not be threatened by politicians who don't like what the scientists discover."

In a separate letter, members of the Senate also urged the Administration to support the negotiation of a climate convention. The letter states, "...our allies around the world now recognize that global warming could raise sea levels, devastate agriculture, destroy ecosystems and lead to sudden and destabilizing climate events. Global warming calls out for strong President-

LURC hearing on Albany 56-unit subdivision gets postponed

The state's Land Use Regulation Commission has postponed a hearing on a proposed 56-unit subdivision in Albany Township. The hearing had been scheduled during the commission's monthly meeting tomorrow (Thursday) and Friday in Farmington.

Despite complaints and a petition from residents in Albany regarding the site for the hearing, the governor and his commission refused to move the site of the hearing. A LURC press release said the postponement was requested by the applicant, who is making changes in his application.

The matter of concern to Albany residents is on a request from JAE Realty Trust, of Massachusetts, for LURC to rezone about 1,000 acres along Rte. 5/35 in Lynchville from general to residential. According to the original petition, the developer would like to establish a 56-lot subdivision on the property.

LURC, which functions as a state planning board for the 500 unorganized territories, such as Albany, had set aside 2½ hours tomorrow night—7:30 p.m.—for the public hearing. This is the lengthiest segment of time of any item on the two-day agenda. (The public hearing on the gravel pit has been allocated two hours.)

Sunday River skiway finishes ski season; number of skiers up 9%

Sunday River Ski Resort ended its season last Friday, May 12, after 181 consecutive days of skiing. It was the longest ski season of any resort in Maine or New Hampshire, and the second longest season in the resort's 28-year history. Over 350,000 skiers enjoyed the winter season, representing the resort's ninth straight record season. The ski area posted a 9 percent increase in visits over last winter.

"Sunday River's long-term commitment to snowmaking paid off in consistent, high-quality skiing this winter," said Marketing Director Bill Jensen. "Natural snow was disappointing, but we made 700,000 tons of snow. We made a lot of skiers happy."

Fire destroys home on Bird Hill Road

A Woodstock mother and her three children have been left homeless by a Monday morning fire that leveled their mobile home on Bird Hill Road.

The three children—Sandy Day, 18, Mike Plawlock, 11, and Leana Plawlock, 8—were at home at the time of the fire but were not injured. They were treated for possible smoke inhalation at Stephens Memorial Hospital and released.

They and their mother, Mary Day, are now staying at the home of her mother, who lives nearby. Mary Day reports that the mobile home was insured, and that the family has received numerous donations to help them begin the slow process of rebuilding. She said she hopes to build again on the site of the fire.

The state fire marshal's office is investigating the site to determine the cause of the fire.

Firefighters from Woodstock and Greenwood fought the blaze, but the home was engulfed by flames when they arrived. They stayed at the scene throughout the night, however, putting out the last hot spots at 10 a.m. While they were at the scene, the Bethel Fire Department stood by at the Greenwood station.

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Acid rain spells trouble for area corn growers

Acid rain can disrupt the pollination of corn flowers, according to research by Oxford County Extension Agent Frank Wertheim.

Corn plants have separate male and female flowers which rely on cross pollination to produce kernels on an ear. The male flower, commonly known as the tassel, sheds countless pollen grains into the wind—and some of these are caught on the female's silks—long thread-like styles.

When a pollen grain lands on the tip of a silk, it splits open its tough shell and sprouts a finger-like pollen tube, which grows through the silk until it reaches and fertilizes the egg buried deep inside the female flower and ultimately results in the development of a kernel on the ear. Frank Wertheim and Lyle Craker, at the University of Massachusetts, Amherst, recreated acid rain in the laboratory by adding acid over a range of pH treatments (from 5.6 to increasingly acidic 4.6, 3.6, and 2.6) to the silks. The acidity spoiled the pollen's chances of ever germinating and fertilizing the female. Closer inspection under a microscope showed that the tips of the silks were eventually killed at pH levels 3.6 or less, and helped to explain why pollination was affected by acid rain. The pollen tubes themselves may also have been damaged by the acid rain.

Bad pollination means less grain is eventually harvested. Corn usually produces vast quantities of pollen, so any shortfall in pollination is usually overcome by the large number of pollen grains. Drought, insect or disease problems, however, reduce pollen, and—combined with acid rain—could put a crop in trouble.

WORKPLACE COMMUNICATION SEMINAR OFFERED JUNE 6

Workplace communication is the topic of a seminar to be held on Tuesday, June 6, at The Bethel Inn, sponsored by the SAD #44 Adult and Community Education program. The seminar, one in a series of small business workshops, has Joan Martay, a Portland-based training consultant, as the presenter and has been designed to provide training and practice in communication skills essential for effective functioning in a work team or office setting.

Ms. Martay will offer positive approaches for interacting with others in the work environment, covering such topics as assertiveness—what it is and why it works; clarification of needs, setting limits; responding to requests; preventing communication breakdown; assertive listening; resolving problems face-to-face; and applying what you have learned.

Ms. Martay is a staff development consultant, based in Portland, specializing in leadership and interpersonal communication skills. She is an instructor in communications with special conferences and programs at the University of Southern Maine and St. Joseph's College and has more than 10 years of experience in presenting to private and public sector groups.

The workplace communication seminar will be held in the Gibson Room at the Bethel Inn, from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.; the fee of \$25 will include breaks and lunch at the Inn. To register, call the SAD #44 Adult and Community Education office, 824-2780, before May 26.

Flood damage

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The Androscoggin River had a peak flow of 11,411 cubic feet per second. By comparison, the peak flow during the April Fools Day flood of 1967 was 15,233 CFS.

The local flood damage was far less than that caused by the 1967 flood, but, ironically, it may end up costing local towns more money than the earlier inundation.

In 1967, the towns eventually recovered most of their losses from the federal government; it's not clear that will be the case this time.

Ken Whitman, director of the Oxford County Emergency Management Agency, said it's uncertain that the state suffered the minimum \$1 million damage necessary to qualify for federal emergency assistance.

On the brighter side, at least the rain ended the long winter's drought. Through the end of April the area had received less than one-half its normal precipitation. But by the time the rain stopped last week the total figure was slightly ahead of normal, and more rain is scheduled this week.

As for the jeeps, Mr. Gaudreau reports they took the weather in stride and had a great time anyway. "I'm sure they'll all be coming back again," he said.

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The planned construction of a large convenience store on the Sunday River Road could ease any such problem.

The Legislature is currently debating the wisdom of keeping the Sunday closing law on the books. Maine is only one of two states that still has a Sunday closing law.

Mr. Glidden indicated that the law was a benefit to smaller stores, such as his own. If the larger stores are allowed to stay open on Sundays, it would take business away from smaller operators. The expected cancellation of the Blue Law is going to close a lot of small stores, he predicted. "You'll see a lot of small communities that won't have a store."

The planned expansion at the local IGA will not only add more retail space, it will also add more parking space. There will be a total of 50 parking spaces, Mr. Glidden told the board, even though only 39 are called for under the Site Plan Review Ordinance.

In other matters, the board also approved a Site Plan Review Permit for The Ski Shop and Sunday River Estates, a combined retail outlet and townhouse project on the Sunday River Road. The owner of the project, Bob Sullivan, a sports store owner from New Hampshire, agreed to put in a dry hydrant on the property. The ski shop will have 4,000 square feet, while on the other side of the subdivision there will be eight townhouses. During the public hearing on the project, no one raised any concerns. The board looked at a sketch plan for a proposed ice cream stand at the back of the Bethel Craftworks, on Main Street. Owner Don Best said the need exists for such a facility downtown since Edelweiss is closed.

The board again discussed the proposal for opening a beauty parlor and barber shop in the Main Street building that already houses a real estate office, a day care center and a children's clothing store, plus an apartment. The discussion centered around the problem of parking. The board instructed the building owners to produce a written agreement from abutter Don Brooks showing permission to use the abutter's land for parking. The board also instructed the owners—Gene and Ginger Kelly—to have the day care center move to a playground on the site lawn and out of the parking lot in order to free up more parking spaces.

The board approved the application from Jan Todd for a retail store—Mainly Fibers—to be operated in her Main Street home.

At the request of Assistant Fire Chief Dave Brown, the board agreed to have developers obtain the fire chief's signature on their final plan before presenting that plan to the board for signing.

Highways

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Preconstruction engineering for future work on Rte. 26 in Bethel and Greenwood, beginning 1/2 mile southwest of the Bethel town line at Road 356 and extending northwesterly for 1 1/2 miles; estimated cost, \$145,000.

Rehabilitation of Rte. 26 in Greenwood and Woodstock, beginning one-eighth of a mile east of the Greenwood town line and extending westerly for 1 1/2 miles; estimated cost, \$1,100,000.

Rehabilitation of Rte. 121 in Oxford, beginning 2 miles southwest of Rte. 26 and extending southwesterly for .5 mile; estimated cost, \$90,000.

Reconstruction of Rte. 121 in Oxford, beginning 1.2 miles west of Rte. 26 and extending southwesterly through Oxford Village for .4 mile; estimated cost, \$100,000.

Light resurfacing and heavy rehabilitation of the East Andover Road, beginning at Rte. 2 and extending northerly for 4.4 miles; estimated cost, \$224,000.

PENNY BROWN ENLISTS

Penny S. Brown of W. Bethel, has enlisted in the Army Reserve under the provisions of the Delayed Entry Program.

Penny is a student at Oxford Hills High School. She will serve her basic training at Fort Dix, N.J., and her advanced individual training at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, as a medical specialist.

Through the GI Bill, Penny qualified for \$5,040 toward her college or vocational education. Upon completing training, she is eligible for a \$1,500 bonus. Penny is the daughter of Ronald Brown of West Bethel and Brenda Buck of South Paris.

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As I See It...

Professor John Marini

April Fool's Day this year marked the 200th anniversary of the first meeting of the United States Congress. In the subsequent long history of that body, Congress has become the object of numerous jokes, and a good deal of scorn, which was aptly summed up in Mark Twain's pertinent comment that the Congress is America's only "distinctly criminal class."

If recent public opinion polls are indication of the current status of this central institution of American government, Congress as an institution is still held in contempt by the American public. Paradoxically, individual members of Congress are held in high regard and have become increasingly immune from defeat at the polls.

Why the ambivalence? Why does the public scorn the institution and yet often admire and vote for its individual members?

The answer lies in the contradictory expectations we have of Congress and congressmen.

In the public mind, Congress as a body expected primarily to legislate or make general laws in the national interest; and, secondly, to represent and deliberate upon particular or private interests and constituencies of the localities that make up the nation. When it is judged as a body or an institution, Congress is judged on its ability to make good public law in the national interest.

On the other hand, individual members of Congress are more often judged on the basis of their ability to provide the kinds of goods and services that can satisfy the private interests of organized groups, or electorally decisive minorities within a district.

The problem is that it is not possible to make good public law in the general interest and, at the same time, provide the particular necessities sought by the private interests. In the past, this fact was universally recognized. It was one of the fundamental reasons the Founding Fathers set up a federal regime—one where the powers were decentralized. Historically, the national government was governed on the basis of general principles and it was left to the state and local governments (or to the marketplace) to cater to the parochial interests of citizens.

In the 1960s, the situation changed dramatically. With the advent of the Great Society, under Lyndon Johnson, congressmen quickly came to the conclusion that they could administer the affairs of local constituencies better than local governments. More importantly, they realized that they could do this without taking responsibility for their actions.

The magic wand that gave Congressmen the power to control local affairs (with none of the attendant responsibility) was the federal bureaucracy. During the 60s and 70s, Congress created a bureaucracy whose public mandate was so large, and whose purposes were so broad, that its regulatory power touched upon every interest and aspect of life in society. By delegating its own legislative authority to this bureaucracy, Congress found that it could avoid blame for the obtrusive regulations it wanted to foist upon society.

The result was that Congressmen abandoned their role as legislators. Instead of writing the tough, detailed laws required to implement their intrusive policies, they simply handed the job to bureaucrats. Having reduced their legislative role, Congressmen were free to become administrators rather than lawmakers. Whenever the bureaucracy they had created did something too controversial in their own districts, they simply intervened on behalf of their constituents and gained a dispensation. So we have it that the very Congressmen who created and authorized the federal agencies that people complain about are now seen as the people's champions against the bureaucracy.

Political scientist Morris Fiorina has gone so far as to describe the current

Selectmen

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eight people who applied for the full-time position. The town's other reserve officer, Jim Morrissey, is at the police academy.

In other matters, the board, on the suggestion of the town manager, voted 3-0 to hire a part-time office person to send out ambulance and sewer bills. The job is expected to take no more than 15 hours a week once the backlog in billing is cleared up.

"It will more than pay for itself," Selectwoman Pat Doon said of the new position.

The town manager told the selectmen the town office is five months behind in billing for ambulance services. Because of late billing and non-payment of ambulance bills, the town loses tens of thousands of dollars each year, the bookkeeper told the Budget Committee during budget hearings last month.

In other matters, the board voted, 3-0, to amend the Special Amusement Permit Regulations. The amendments, which took effect immediately, concern the method for dealing with complaints from residents upset by noisy bands. In order to implement the amendments, the town will have to purchase a noise level measuring device, at an anticipated cost of about \$735.

The amendments were proposed by a special committee appointed last winter whose task it was to come up with a solution for keeping the peace between the town's entertainment establishments and neighbors. The committee has now been tasked to come up with an overall noise ordinance covering all sorts of noise.

The board, by a 3-0 vote, approved amendments to the town's Traffic Ordinance. The amendments will allow the town to have parking violators towed and impose \$20 fines for parking violations. It also imposes a 15-minute parking limit on Main Street, in the neighborhood of the Subury Inn.

The board unanimously denied a request from a Chase Road couple (near Chandler Hill Road) to move the road so it doesn't come so close to their house.

The board, by unanimous vote, agreed to set up a special account for the town farm. The town recently received \$1,500 for stumpage at the town farm and the proceeds will go into the new account.

While members of Congress and bureaucrats have indeed benefited from this arrangement, the Congress as an institution has not; nor has the nation as a whole.

Self-government requires deliberation and reflection, and the Founding Fathers recognized that. In such a way as to allow individual members the authority to control, on a day-to-day basis, the various areas of public policy legally assigned to the bureaucracy. With so little reflection put to crafting of legislation today, it is no wonder that the quality of our laws have declined! Or that the American people scorn Congress as an institution.

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DAM SITE WETTER THAN USUAL—A new rock dam is planned for the site of the old grist mill dam in West Paris. The former timber-crib dam on the Little Androscoggin was washed away by the April Fools Day flood of 1987. Here, water pours over the dam site during last week's flooding. (Photo by Michael Daniels)

Silkman to speak to health care corporation

Richard Silkman, director of the State Planning Office, will be the featured speaker at the Western Maine Health Care Corporation's 1989 annual meeting tonight (Wednesday), May 17.

Mr. Silkman was appointed state planning director by Governor John McKernan and is responsible for mapping out a strategy for the 1990s that will influence legislative initiatives proposed by the executive branch of Maine's government.

He will be talking specifically about health care in the state and what changes he foresees in both the delivery of health care and how the health care costs will be met. In view of Stephens Memorial Hospital's problems with state regulations, Mr. Silkman's remarks should be timely.

Western Maine Health Care Corporation is the "parent" of Stephens Memorial, as well as four other separate and distinct subsidiaries. These subsidiaries operate independently with their own boards of trustees and are involved in different areas of health care.

Besides Stephens, the other subsidiaries are Market Square Health Care Center, Chapel Valley Boarding Home, Pennessawasee Land Company and Trillium. The overall mission of Western Maine Health Care Corporation is to provide a continuum of care for the Oxford Hills region. To meet the needs of the people living in this area with low cost, efficient and quality health care is Western Maine Health Care Corporation's objective.

The annual meeting will be held at Goldstrut Restaurant, with coffee and sweets available at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will start promptly at 7 p.m. and all of W.M.H.C.C.'s 400 corporators are expected to attend.

Clough elected head of prep school association

At a recent meeting of educators held in Lincoln, N.H., William Clough, headmaster of Gould Academy, was elected president of the Independent Schools Association of Northern New England. This Association is composed of 55 independent schools in Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont, whose heads meet twice annually to study problems and to discuss issues of mutual interest and concern.

The main topic under consideration at the recent spring meeting of the Association was multicultural assessment. The object was to discover more effective ways to recruit and support minority students in a school's population. Randolph Carter, director of minority affairs at the National Association of Independent Schools, Boston, was one of the speakers and discussion leaders. Others included William Polk, headmaster of Groton School in Massachusetts, along with Jack Horney and Verna Mayo, directors of a multicultural program at Phillips Exeter Academy, Exeter, N.H.

The chief objective of the Independent Schools Association of Northern New England is to improve the quality of education provided by its member schools. Toward that end, in addition to conferences of school heads, there are workshops for school business managers, school secretaries, deans, teachers and directors of studies.

William Clough is also president of the Maine Association of Independent Schools. His two-year term as president ends this month, and he will continue to serve on the association's executive committee for the next two years. His term as president of the Independent School Association of Northern New England is for two years ending in 1991.

Stone barrier to replace W. Paris grist mill dam

Construction work to rebuild the old grist mill dam on the Little Androscoggin River in West Paris is scheduled to begin on July 1. Bancroft Contracting Corp., of South Paris, has been awarded a \$29,500 contract to build a rock dam at the site of the old mill.

The April Fools Day flood of 1987 tore away a timber-crib dam that had served to create a fire pond at the centrally located spot.

The new dam will be made of sturdier stuff. A spokesman for the contracting firm said the new barrier will be made of rocks, anchored in place by granite slabs embedded in the river bed.

The rock dam will be approximately 80 feet long, by 40 feet deep and 6 1/2 feet high. A one-foot wide opening will allow fish to pass through the dam.

DEP grants permit to remove gravel bar from bank of Sunday R.

The Department of Environmental Protection has approved an application by Gerald Harrington, of Bethel, to do some excavation work in the Sunday River on his property. Permission was granted to remove a gravel bar from the east side of the Sunday River as a means of preventing erosion of the west bank. The work is to be performed between June 30 and Sept. 15, when water is low and trout fry are not present. Gravel is to be removed only to the limit of the former 20-foot-wide channel; the center of the bar, which contains a stand of willows, is not to be disturbed.

The DEP permit was granted subject to conditions concerning the operation of machinery, depth and manner of excavation.

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Each week, this column will spotlight a different member of the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce. The purpose is to give some understanding about the various fields of endeavor of the Chamber members.

The Goodwin's Insurance Agency Inc. has long occupied a prominent position in the Norway business community since its establishment back in 1865. The company has been at its current 31 Paris St. location for the past 31 years offering all types of insurance including home, auto, and business to clients throughout the entire Oxford County. A few will remember that prior to 1957, the business was conducted from the 158 Main St., Norway address.

Company officials are pleased with the ever-increasing volume of business, especially during the past 10 years, which has shown a tripling of insurance

customers. Other accomplishments include receipt of Allstate Insurance's Distinguished Agent Award for placing in the top 5 percent in the country, along with recognition by Travelers Insurance for having the second-longest business relationship with that company. The recently expanded computer system will do much to make overall operations more manageable and enable the present staff members to further expand Goodwin's insurance offerings. There are presently 10 persons with Goodwin's Insurance, Mr. Robert Goodwin, president, and Stuart Goodwin, David Longstaff, Sandra Porter, Joan Lord, Susan Simpson, Barbara Sandborn—who has been with the company for 30 years—, Elaine Peppin, Marion Dow, and Winfield Partridge—a 35-year employee.

NEWRY COMMITTEE MEETS

The next meeting of the Newry Growth Management Advisory Committee is scheduled for Tuesday, May 23, at 7 p.m., in the Newry town office. It is anticipated that planning consultant Jim Haskell will attend to begin working with the committee on developing the required ordinances to satisfy the state's new Growth Management Law.

day evening, May 22, for their annual supper outing. Members are to meet at the church at 5:30 p.m.

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Northwest Bethel

By CLARICE GIBSON

Rain, rain go away; come again in the summer when the gardens are in need of it. The wells, I understand, have now got enough water. One woman who had to be careful all winter was telling how nice it was to have water to wash blankets for summer and to spring cleaning.

May 12, no school and watching the river one sees a lot of debris go down. Logs, trees and I suppose anything else that is in the way as it keeps rising along the banks. That is one of the things that I like about living so close to the river, is a different scene so often, and have been told the bank to the river is so high all of West Bethel village would be flooded before it got over this bank.

We had an early Mother's Day get-together the weekend of May 6. "Frankie" brought Theresa here Saturday morning, and Jim came from Freeport with Heather. (He had to go right back as they were having trouble with L.L. Bean's computers.) George stayed over Saturday as well as both grandchildren, Sunday, Wilfred and Kim came. Kim brought dinner and cooked it. After his work Ira and Kristen came over to visit so invited them for supper. Jim and Sue came to pick up Heather, so were all here at one time, but Wilfred and Kim had to leave before Jim and Sue showed.

May 5, Pastor and Evelyn Larson dropped in for a short visit. May 9, picked up Sylvia Benson and we drove to Wilton to look at a wooden table but knew it wouldn't be sold enough for my purpose so will keep looking.

May 11, Frank went down to visit Don Brooks who is at home but will still be awhile before he can do very much. Guess I have rambled on enough about the happenings here.

Ernest and Alberta Angevine had Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sweeney, of Colchester, Vt., for Sunday callers.

May 6, Sylvia Benson took her sister, Dot Everett, to her home on Paris Hill and then drove to her sister's, Judy Snell, in Hebron for a night; Sylvia and niece Kim Small went to Ocean Pearl at Oxford Plaza to eat.

Dennis Smith has bought a piece of land from his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith, and is building a home. Homer, Edie and Andy Smith went to

East Conway, N.H., Wednesday evening to Larry and Sally Smith's to see their new granddaughter and nephew. Brother Zack, three, is very proud of his sister.

Friday night, Sarah Coolidge spent the night with Jamie Lewis in West Bethel. The same night Erin Osgood spent the night with Vicky Coolidge, and Saturday night Cindy Wheeler spent the night with Jessie Coolidge. The Coolidge girls are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Coolidge.

May 4, Bob Howe and family attended the Read-to-me Club award and taco testing banquet at Telstar cafeteria. This is affiliated with the Kindergarten program that Seth Howe attends.

May 4, Bob Howe and family went to Bob's mother's, Joan Howe, birthday party. The party was held at Joan's mother's, Ethel Ward, in East Bethel.

Dr. Leonard Shaw and family drove to Braintree, Mass., April 31 to visit Dr. Shaw's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Jules Shaw, for the day. The Shaw's took Jon and Jen to the Prudential Building in Boston, which was where their mother, Becky Shaw, worked. They also visited other places of interest in Boston.

May 6, Dr. Shaw and family went shopping in Portland and to eat out.

Saturday, Mary Beth Hannon took her SAT at Gould, and then Elaine, Misty and Shilo Hutchins and Sally, Mary Beth and Amy Hannon went to Portland Mall shopping and to eat.

May 6, Matthew, Melinda and Stephen Bishop, of Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bishop, of Bucksport, and Scott Mason, of Rumford, were at Ruth and Charles Mason's for supper; also "Chuckie" and Kathy Mason and family. Grammie Murphy (Ruth's mother) made the beans and rolls for all. Mrs. Pat Murphy, Bridge Street, does this for three families every Saturday. The next day Matthew, Melinda, Ruth, Jennifer, Charles Jr. and Mari went to pick a bouquet of Mayflowers for Mrs. Murphy, as she is lame and not able to go into the woods herself.

Sunday, "Chuckie" and Kathy Mason and Gerry Shimamura went with the Nazarene Church Group to visit with the patients at Ledgeview Nursing Home in West Paris. Gerry's mother, Thelma Merrill, is one of the patients, as are Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lapham from this road. Kristin Gibson and Donna McCarragher went to Portland, May 11.

May 12, Jim Gibson came to visit for

Through a 10-year-old's eyes

By ALEX GILLIES

There are two major problems in buying a Mother's Day present: 1) what to get, and 2) how to pay for it. I can't tell you what I got because my mother's going to read this. Sorry. If you're having a financial problem, make "her" something. They usually like that a lot. If you can't think of anything just make a nice card.

I just got back from canoeing in the field in front of our house. We went over the road and just cruised around. Most of the cars that went by beeped and waved. A lot of caterpillars were hanging on for dear life on the grass sticking up above the water. The water was up to four feet deep in some spots. It was pretty cold.

At school we have a science project due in five days. I've got the final draft half done. I still have to do a model and a poster. The science fair will be held on the 18th of May at Telstar. I'm doing mine about the eye.

a few minutes as he was on his way home after spending most of the week at Bethel Inn with the L.L. Bean convention. Evelyn Hillborn also spent a while in the afternoon.

Evelyn Hillborn recently returned from her home in Toronto, Ontario. While there she celebrated her 65th birthday with her brother, family and friends. She took two trips to northern Ontario. Canada geese were returning, also saw deer, muskrats and beaver at work. In Toronto, Evelyn and friend took in a large British Exhibition, featuring London Police band, other entertainment and various products. Did mowing and planting as Toronto was much warmer than here.

Birds at the birdfeeder at Evelyn's have been purple finches, myrtle warblers, rosebreasted grosbeaks, a bluebird and others. The phoebes have had their family already.

Sid Murphy saw a moose on way to work and others have sighted the moose. Some have seen a bull, some a female and others a yearling.

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By AMY HANSCOM

The Board of Selectmen met last Tuesday morning. There are six dog owners who have not licensed their dogs and a dog warrant was issued to dog officer Alan Fleet. Unless these licenses are paid, together with the extra charge for collecting, owners may be summoned to court.

A warrant was prepared for the Special Town Meeting, to be held May 30, to see if the Town will vote to accept ordinance changes proposed by the Ordinance Review Committee. These ordinances include road ordinance, sign ordinance, building code and shoreland zoning ordinance. Another article to be voted on is to see if the Town will vote to allow \$7,500 from the Fire Department Fund monies to purchase additional equipment needed to bring the Fire Department up to standards to allow citizens to get a reduced rate on fire insurance premiums. A public hearing on the proposed ordinance changes will be held at the Town Office, May 22, at 7 p.m.

The selectmen attempted to check camps on Puzzle Mountain for tax purposes, but were unable to do so because of muddy road conditions. It is expected that work on perambulating the Newry-Andover West Surplus line will start May 27.

Marjorie Osgood and son Wade, Brenda Wight and daughter Katie, and Wendy Hanscom and son Jay attended Kindergarten at Bethel, Thursday evening, May 4. The children will start school next fall.

Derek Vail, son of Joan Bartlett, graduated from the New England School, Husson College, Bangor, in the field of broadcasting.

Lisa Vail was guest of honor at a personal shower at the municipal building, May 6. Patricia Mank and Joan Bartlett were hostesses. Refreshments, including a decorated shower cake, were served.

She received many gifts. Attending, besides the honored guest and hostesses, were Veronica Smith, Carolyn Bennett, Karlene Bachelder, Gilberte Seeley, Chesley Bartlett and Grace and Cindy Lane, of Newry; Karen Gould and Kitty Fox, of Bethel; Heather and Adrienne Vail, of Locke Mills; and Roxanne Wentworth, of Wentworth Location, N.H.

Christine Wyeler and Arnold Penney were united in marriage in a simple ceremony at the Newry Community Church, May 6, at 6:30 p.m. Pastor Rodney Hanscom performed the ceremony. The couple's attendants were Elizabeth and Joshua Penney. Sylvia Gray, aunt of the bride, was organist.

After the ceremony Sylvia Gray served dinner to the bride and groom and their guests. The wedding cake was made and decorated by Mrs. Gray. Attending were Christine's parents, Noella and Lewis Harris, and Christine's sister and husband, Faith and Bruce Bradley, from Connecticut, and Sylvia and Parker Gray, of Newry. The couple will reside in Rumford Point.

The title of Pastor Hanscom's message, May 7, was "Look up to Jesus," with Scripture readings the 9th Psalm and Acts 1:1-14.

Wendy Hanscom was guest of honor at a personal shower, May 6. Attending besides the honored guest were Eleanor Davis and Sylvia Wight, of Newry; Christine Hanscom, Christine and Becky Hanscom, Nancy Hanscom and Kathy Hanscom, of Bethel, and Frances Davis, of Upton. The cake was made and decorated by Kathy and Nancy Hanscom. Wendy received gifts from guests, also from some who were unable to attend.

Betsy Clark, Sylvia Wight, Louise Tetley and Gilberte Seeley were at Oxford Lanes, Rumford, bowling May 9. Louise was high scorer on both single and triple.

The Mothers Club met at the municipal building, May 8, with 14 members present. The meeting was opened by president.

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FRANKLIN GRANGE

Franklin Grange joined with Mt. Sugarloaf at Oxford Grange Friday night with a 6 p.m. supper served by the host Grange before the meeting. Mt. Sugarloaf filled the chairs and Franklin put on a Mother's Day program as follows for 63 members.

"How do you do" and "M is for the million things she gave me" by all. Paul Billings read a poem, "That's Mother." His mother was asked to stand. The poem was very fitting for her, too. Mary Billings surely fit the picture of Mother. Carl Brooks danced two of his doll family. A quiz, "What Kind of Mother Are You?" Papers were passed out and they scored themselves on questions the lecturer read. A bouquet of flowers was given the winner, Russell Yates read three cute stories, then Bertha Benoit sang "Mother, My Mother," an original song by the lecturer, Charlotte Cole entertained with harmonica and guitar solo and then yodeled a song. Lettie Brooks read Mother's Day reading. Russell Yates and Peggy Blake put on a cute skit.

A contest by three groups from each Grange with Stacey Bisbie, Olive Risco, and Jean Griffin as captains. Stacey's group won chocolate bars for each. They used Mother's Day and made as many words as possible while Richard's orchestra played several songs. Time was up then. Then the closing thought, "How to Bring up Children" by the lecturer. The song "Mother Machine" was requested and the program closed with "God be with you."

The next, or third, meeting will be at Mt. Sugarloaf on June 15, who will serve supper. Franklin Grange will bring gifts; Oxford, salads, Program, Oxford; Franklin will try to hold down the chairs. See you there.

dent Cindy Morcey and Gilberte Seeley read the Ode to Mothers. It was voted to give scholarships in memory of Eleanor Morton and Jeannine Fleet to the most deserving graduates of the Class of 1989 of Telstar High School. Also voted to have the trip to Storyland for Newry children on June 19. It was voted to have the annual banquet at the Town and Country on June 12, at 6 p.m. Karlene Bachelder won the mystery prize. Ken Stiel and Elaine Sundeth, of Hurricane Island Outward Bound, gave a lecture and showed color slides of their projects of rebuilding the confidence of young people who come from broken and disturbed homes and never had the chance to deal with the world at large. They take outdoor trips and camp out in the mountains in some of the spots like Table Rock, etc. They learn canoeing on the lakes and how to live and share duties with their peers. They also get counseling. The club feels that this is a wonderful program and appreciated the chance to learn what they do.

Angela Thomas-Jones spoke on chemical dependency treatments at Dublin, N.H. This program is different than most. These programs take place in the wilderness, with the help of Hurricane Island Outward Bound School. It is a long program and the hope is that when it is over the adolescents are free of dependence and will be able to cope without drugs. The family also plays an important part in this program. Anyone interested in this program can call 1-800-0200, Treatment in Motion.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight spent last weekend in Old Town visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wight and Mr. and Mrs. David Wight and families.

Bear River Grange will put on a public baked bean and ham supper at the Grange Hall, May 27, at 5:30 p.m.

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TENDING THEIR GARDEN—Composite Room students from Telstar High School and Middle School have worked hard this year to prepare hundreds of hearty plants for the annual Composite Room Greenhouse Sale, which will be held May 23-25. Cukes, cherry tomatoes, Better Boy tomatoes, peppers, watermelon, zinnias, marigolds, allyssum Tripp and Charles Hopkins. Gardeners not shown: Mark Cole and Thomas Newell.

East Bethel

By MYRA FOSTER

Mrs. Agnes Haines, Mrs. Peggy Coolidge and Mrs. Floribel Haines went to Gorham and Bethel, N.H. with the Bethel Senior Citizens, May 10.

A big Balm of Gilead tree fell onto the roof of Almon Coolidge's house a week or so ago. Not too much damage was done but it sure scared Peggy. I can imagine how she felt, as we had a maple come down unexpectedly, which just cleared the house—this was a couple of years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swan, of Dixfield, or so ago. Mrs. Verna Swan and Miss Clara Whitman, of Bryant Pond, were weekend visitors at the Bartlett Homestead.

Mrs. Dori Holman and daughter Heather, of Durham, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harrington, Sunday, May 6.

Paul and Chester Kimball were in Norway shopping Thursday, May 11.

Mrs. Charlotte Kimball and I were in Rumford, May 4, to see Dr. Kim. Then we went shopping. Mrs. Clara Hamlin, of South Waterford, took me to John and Agnes Foster's home in Andover on May 7 for a Mother's Day celebration. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns; Mr. and Mrs. Rick Westleigh, of Rumford Corner; Mrs. Jo Tyler and Chris, of Dixfield; Darryl Tyler and Shanna, of Rumford Corner; and Dan Stearns and children, Cory and Erin, of Rumford Point.

On May 10, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns took me to Rumford Point at the home of Dan Stearn's to celebrate Cory's birthday and Erin's birthday, whose was May 9.

Mrs. Richard Stearns, of Rumford Corner, took me shopping in Rumford on

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North Paris

By DORIS C. LAWRENCE

As I write the news this Friday morning it sure is raining, and it poured all night. I cut Verna Hart's hair Thursday morning and he said his well was full.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher are home from Sidney, Nova Scotia. He said they had a lot of rainy weather up there.

The flea market and food sale was a great success; also the dance the same night.

Don't forget the supper at North Paris Hall, May 27, 5-8 p.m. Beans, salads, casseroles, biscuits, rolls and homemade gingerbread with "real" whipped cream.

We won't have another supper until the last of July on account of graduation, weddings and anniversary.

Callers at the Lawrence have been Mione Record, Jimbo Coffin, Odell Heath, Richard Felt, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Millett; Barbara Gallant gave me a perm Wednesday.

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Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

As the sun rose this morning a colored ribbon waved across the hills. How lovely the maple buds are at this time. The shadows crept along with stillness on the pond, changing with the mood of the sun. I watched as I ate my breakfast and welcomed a new day.

At a distance the pine branches seemed to be tier to tier, a stately guen of dignity and grace. They give us a strange and restless kind of music.

At dawn now, there is a sense of adventure and aliveness. Trees are more sharply etched, the horizon more distinct than at any other time of day.

The red winged blackbirds talked from the bushes on the shore.

A rock just down the pond awakened to spring in small ways. Where the moss is just greening, spiders spew out from under it. A few clover leaves are folded in patterns of pale green. I am reassured to know that the pond is coming alive again. It's a grand place for a turtle or a gull to sun itself.

A chirping red squirrel scolded at me, sounding like a child's toy wound up tightly and running down with a clattering, clacking sound. He rattled like a bluejay, screeching out of temper because a stranger had entered his forest.

Far down the pond, the cattails stood frayed by winds and bedraggled in the snow and rain, arose above a matted pale-tan mass of last year's leaves.

On my way back home I again thought how fortunate I have been to have lived in such pleasant places.

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The Citizen's prime time TV guide

THURSDAY EVENING MAY 18, 1989

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Newhart	Movie: "The Gauntlet"				H'mooner	H'mooner	M*A*S*H	Elsewhere
(4)	Monitor	Global	Safari	Beyond 2000			Nature	Year of Bull	Sporting	Sporting
(5)	Our House		Movie: "Lone Ranger"				700 Club			
(6)	Cosby	Feedback	Cosby Show	Cheers	Dear John		L.A. Law		News	Tonight
(7)	Affair	Kate & Allie	Movie: "The Parent Trap"				ABC News Special		News	Nightline
(8)	MacNeil/Lehrer	Maine	Mystery				Ocean Apart		A Very Peculiar Practice	
(11)	Spenser: For Hire	Cagney & Lacey	Movie: "Out of the Darkness"						Spenser: For Hire	
(12)	Top Card	Crook	Nashville Now				VideoCountry		Country	Be a Star
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	48 Hours				Knots Landing		News	Pat Sajak
(16C)	Cheers	INN News	Movie: "Nighthawks"				INN News	Odd Couple	Cheers	H'mooner
(17D)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeTime				Larry King Live		News	Sports
(18E)	Making Me	Movie: "Westworld"					Movie: "Blade Runner"		Movie: "Cherry 2000"	
(20G)	Baseball	Wrestling					Red Sox		Major League Baseball	
(21H)	SportsCtr.	SpeedWeek	Auto Racing: Off-Road				Thurs. Night Thunder		Auto Racing: USAC Midget Cars	SportsCtr.
(22I)	Griffith	Sanford	Movie: "Bad Boys"						NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced	
(23J)	America's Business	Money Talks					Business Tonight		Focus	Money Talks
(24K)	Gadget	Looney	Mister Ed	Patty Duke	My 3 Sons	Donna R.	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	Car 54
(25M)	Miami Vice		Murder, She Wrote				Pro Boxing: Uriah Grant vs. Mike Sedillo		Miami Vice	
(27N)	Chronicle	Survival	Edge	Wild World			Love Letters		Agnes DeMille	Ris. Damp
(29P)	Encyclopedia		"My Best Friend Is a Vampire"				Movie: "The Killing Fields"			Vietnam
(31R)	Snoopy	Puff	Walt Disney Presents				Movie: "Murder on the Orient Express"			The Natural
(32S)	Cosby	Kate & Allie	Untouchables				News		Benny Hill	Downey
(34U)	Cheers	Night Court	Honeymooners: Reunion Special				News	INN News	H'mooner	Hill Street

FRIDAY EVENING MAY 19, 1989

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Newhart	Movie: "Midnight Express"						Major League Baseball	
(4)	Monitor	Scotland	Tinseltown				American Album		Nature of Things	World Alive
(5)	Our House		Movie: "Mother's Day"				700 Club			
(6)	Cosby	Cheers	Movie: "Protocol"				Dream Street		News	Tonight
(8)	Affair	Kate & Allie	Strangers	Full House	Belvedere	Ten of Us	20/20		News	Nightline
(10)	MacNeil/Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St.			Great Performances			Fields
(11)	Spenser: For Hire		Movie: "The Children Nobody Wanted"				Molly Dodd	Molly Dodd	Spenser: For Hire	
(12)	Top Card	Crook	Nashville Now				VideoCountry		Rock	Be a Star
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Beauty and the Beast				Dallas		Falcon Crest	News
(16C)	Cheers	INN News	Movie: "The Zero Boys"				INN News		Major League Baseball: Yankees at Mariners	
(17D)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeTime				Larry King Live		Headline News	Moneyline
(18E)	"The Violent Men"		Movie: "Fanny Farm"						Movie: "Beach Balls"	"Red Heat"
(20G)	Red Sox		Pro Beach Volleyball				Golf: Tucker Anthony		Bowling	
(21H)	SportsCtr.	Boating	Gymnastics				HS Dance Team Champ.		Skateboarding	Motorweek
(22I)	Griffith	Sanford	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced				Ins. NBA		Night Tracks	
(23J)	America's Business	Money Talks					Business Tonight		Focus	Money Talks
(24K)	Gadget	Looney	Mister Ed	Patty Duke	My 3 Sons	Donna R.	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	Car 54
(25M)	Miami Vice		Murder, She Wrote				Hitchcock	Bradbury	Hitchhiker	Werewolf
(27N)	Chronicle	Survival	Eagle	Churchill			Movie: "The Happy Ending"			Improv
(29P)	"Hiding Out" Cont'd		Movie: "Lethal Weapon"						Movie: "Shakedown"	
(31R)	Movie: "Dumbo"		Disney: Celebrity Circus				Movie: "Barnum"			Movie: "Chad Hanna"
(32S)	Cosby		Major League Baseball: San Francisco Giants at New York Mets				News		Benny Hill	Downey
(34U)	Cheers		Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati Reds				News	H'mooner	Hill Street	

SATURDAY EVENING MAY 20, 1989

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	War of the Worlds		Movie: "Student Bodies"				To Know About Sex (But were afraid to ask)			
(4)	Sporting	Sporting	Adventures				Showcase	London	Natural	Natural
(5)	Rin Tin Tin	Campbells	Movie: "Apache Uprising"				Bordertown	Crossbow	Rin Tin Tin	Campbells
(6)	Family Ties	Cheers	227	Amen	Golden G.	Empty Nest	Kenny, Dolly & Willie		News	Sat. Night
(8)	Star Search		Missign: Impossible				North and South, Book II			Nightmare
(10)	Maine		Voice Your Choice				Doctor Who		Videospin	Latent Dennis Wholey
(11)	"Drop-Out Mother"		Cagney & Lacey				MacGruder & Loud		Molly Dodd	Spenser: For Hire
(12)	Kitchen	Wk./Music	Backstage	Grand Opry			Roy Clark Tour: U.S.S.R.		Kitchen	CountryClips
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Paradise				Jesse Hawkes		West 57th	News
(16C)	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Movie: "Cat's Eye"						INN News	Monsters
(17D)	Capital	Sports Sat.	PrimeTime				Showbiz	In Japan	Headline News	Capital
(18E)	"The Gate" Cont'd		Movie: "The Seventh Sign"						Movie: "The Unholy"	
(20G)	College Baseball: SWC Championship Game Two, if necessary								Boxing	
(21H)	SportsCtr.	Indy 500	Volleyball				Day at the Beach		Waterskiing	Surfer
(22I)	Major League Baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at Atlanta Braves								Wrestling	Night Tracks
(23J)	Score Card	Trivia	Boxing						Final Score	Professional Wrestling
(24K)	Gadget	Looney	Looney	Patty Duke	My 3 Sons	Donna R.	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	Car 54
(25M)	Miami Vice		Movie: "Trick or Treats"						Hitchhiker	Hitchcock
(27N)	Chronicle	Eagle	Living Dangerously				Shortstories		Perfect Spy	Snap
(29P)	"Illegally Yours" Cont'd		Police Academy 5: Assignment Miami				Robert Townsend III		Movie: "Sunset"	
(31R)	Movie: "The Brave Little Toaster"		Pontoffel				Movie: "Harry and the Hendersons"			The Great Waldo Pepper
(32S)	It's a Living	Mama	Police Story						News	Benny Hill
(34U)	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati Reds								INN News	Darkside

SUNDAY EVENING MAY 21, 1989

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fri. the 13th Series		War of the Worlds				Hollywood	Poppy's	Odd Couple	Manager
(4)	Bill Burrud's Animals		Lizards				Dinosaur	Chronicles	Nature of Things	Challenge
(5)	Our House		Animals				Snapshots	In Touch	Ben Haden	Ankerberg
(6)	Magical World of Disney		Hunter				Miami Vice			News
(8)	Under Fire: Story		Roseanne				Wonder		Movie: "Everybody's Baby: The Rescue of Jessica McClure"	People
(10)	Horses		Nature				Masterpiece Theatre		Smiley's People	R. Perrin
(11)	Cardiology	Milestones					Physicians Jml.		Cardiology	Medicine
(12)	American Sports Cavalcade		Racing				Heroes	Truckin'	Outdoor	Bassmastr.
(13)	60 Minutes		Murder, She Wrote				Movie: "Murder Takes All"			Clark
(16C)	Peggy Sue Got Married		Movie: "The Man With Two Brains"				INN News	Odd Couple	Cheers	H'mooner
(17D)	Newsweek	Sport Sun.	PrimeTime				Week in Review		Headline News	Business
(18E)	"Innerspace" Cont'd		Movie: "The Big Easy"						Cinemax Sessions	Movie: "Body Heat"
(20G)	Golf: Tucker Anthony		To Be Announced						Sportfishing	Fishing
(21H)	SportsCtr.	College Baseball: Arizona vs. Miami							Baseball	SportsCenter
(22I)	Movie: "The Dirty Dozen: The Next Mission"						National Geographic Explorer		All Family	J. Falwell
(23J)	Score Card	Trivia	Fishing				Kurt Wolf	Arena	Final Score	Gambler
(24K)	Gadget	Looney	Looney	Patty Duke	My 3 Sons	Donna R.	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	Car 54
(25M)	Hollywood		Tennis: Italian Open						Cover Story	Hollywood
(27N)	Bill Moyers		Tolstoy: From Riches				All Creatures		Judy Collins	Buffalo Bill
(29P)	"Funny Farm" Cont'd		Movie: "Fatal Beauty"						Movie: "Roxanne"	
(31R)	Movie: "Jeremiah Johnson"						Sher. Holmes		Movie: "Suspicion"	
(32S)	Movie: "Gorky Park"						Benny Hill		News	D.C. Folies
(34U)	Peggy Sue Got Married		Threat				Star Search		News	Monsters

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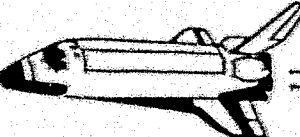
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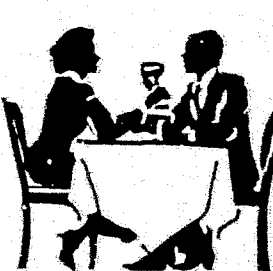
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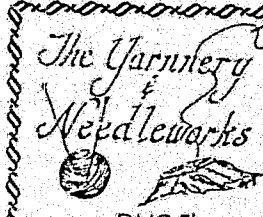
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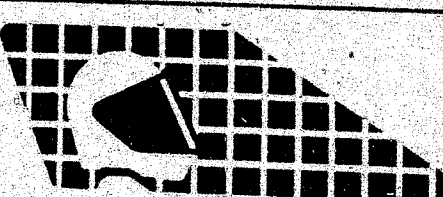
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MONDAY EVENING MAY 22, 1989										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Newhart	Movie: "Ordinary People"					H'mooner	M*A*S*H	SL
(4)	Monitor	Portraits	Animals	Nature	Wonders	Chronicles	America Coast to Coast	Living Body	Earthfile	
(5)	Our House		Movie: "The Chosen"				700 Club		Remington Steele	
(6)	Cosby	Cheers	ALF	Hogans	Movie: "I Know My First Name Is Steven"				News	Tonight
(8)	Affair	TV 8	MacGyver	Movie: "Gideon Oliver: Kennonite"				News	Nightline	
(10)	MacNeil/Lehrer		Adventure	US/Philippines		Mexico		Hilary	Served?	
(11)	Spenser: For Hire		Cagney & Lacey	Movie: "Deadly Enemies"				Spenser: For Hire		
(12)	Top Card	Crook	Nashville Now		VideoCountry		Country	Be a Star	Crook	
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Live-In	Heartland	Murphy B.	Design. W.	Newhart	Kate & Allie	News	Pat Sajak
(16C)	Cheers	INN News	Movie: "Firestarter"				INN News	Odd Couple	Cheers	H'mooner
(17D)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews		Larry King Live		News	Moneyline	Sports	
(18E)	"Rocky II" Cont'd		Movie: "Dead Heat"			Movie: "Action Jackson"				Close
(20G)	To Be Announced Cont'd								Week/Dir	Big Wheel
(21H)	SportsCtr.	Baseball	College Baseball: Clemson vs. North Carolina						Baseball	SportsCtr.
(22I)	Griffith	Sanford	Movie: "Final Chapter: Walking Tall"						NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams TBA	
(23J)	America's Business	Money Talks	Business Tonight			Focus		Money Talks		
(24K)	Gadget	Looney	Mister Ed	Patty Duke	My 3 Sons	Donna R.	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	Car 54
(25M)	Miami Vice		Murder, She Wrote		WWF Prime Time Wrestling				Miami Vice	
(27N)	Chronicle	Survival	Living Planet: Earth		Our Century			Shortstory	Robert Conrad	
(29P)	Nature	Encyclopedia	Movie: "Terms of Endearment"					Movie: "Bad Dreams"		
(31R)	The Littles	At the Zoo	Born Free		Movie: "My Fair Lady"					
(32S)	Cosby	Kate & Allie	Best of the National Geographic Specials				News	Benny Hill	Downey	
(34U)	Cheers	Night Court	H's Heroes	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Houston Astros					News	

TUESDAY EVENING MAY 23, 1989										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Newhart	Movie: "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid"				H'mooner	M*A*S*H	Elsewhere	
(4)	Monitor	Rendezvs.	Challenge	Hillary	Thompson	Nature	Noah's Ark	Tinseltown		
(5)	Our House	Movie: "The Emigrants"				700 Club	Remington Steele			
(6)	Cosby	Cheers	Matlock	Movie: "I Know My First Name Is Steven"				News	Best of	
(8)	Affair	Kate & Allie	Boss?	Wonder	American Comedy Awards			News	Nightline	
(10)	MacNeil/Lehrer	Nova	Frontline	Ring of Truth			Jazz	Innovation		
(11)	Spenser: For Hire	Cagney & Lacey	Movie: "When Your Lover Leaves"				Spenser: For Hire			
(12)	Top Card	Crook	Nashville Now	VideoCountry			Country	Be a Star	Crook	
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Garfield	Charlie Br.	Miss Universe Pageant			News	Pat Sajak	
(16C)	Cheers	Major League Baseball: California Angels at New York Yankees				INN News	Odd Couple	Cheers	H'mooner	
(17D)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews	Larry King Live			News	Moneyline	Sports	
(18E)	Manchurian Can.	Movie: "Suspect"				Movie: "The Seventh Sign"				
(20G)	Red Sox	Major League Baseball: Seattle Mariners at Boston Red Sox						To Be Announced		
(21H)	SportsCtr.	Sports	Karate	Top Rank Boxing: Terrence Ali vs. Victor Davis				Indy 500	SportsCtr.	
(22I)	Griffith	Sanford	NBA Basketball: Eastern Playoffs				Movie: "The Blues Brothers"			
(23J)	America's Business	Money Talks		Business Tonight			Focus	Money Talks		
(24K)	Gadget	Looney	Mister Ed	Patty Duke	My 3 Sons	Donna R.	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	Car 54
(25M)	Miami Vice	Murder, She Wrote			Movie: "Fandango"			Miami Vice		
(27N)	Chronicle	Survival	Joe Louis for All Time		Movie: "Sunday, Bloody Sunday"			Slap		
(29P)	"Mayflower Madam"	Movie: "Deadly Illusion"				Drug-Free	Robert Townsend III	Movie: "Heat"		
(31R)	Care Bears	Dr. Seuss	Thinking Big		Movie: "Thoroughly Modern Millie"				Princess	
(32S)	Cosby	Kate & Allie	Hunter	News			Major League Baseball: Mets at Padres			
(34U)	Cheers	Night Court	H's Heroes				Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Houston Astros		News	

WEDNESDAY EVENING MAY 24, 1989										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Newhart	Movie: "High Plains Drifter"				H'mooner	M*A*S*H	Elsewhere	
(4)	Monitor	Festivals	Equinox		Wings		Nature	Nature	Kennedy's Ireland	
(5)	Our House		Movie: "The Emigrants"				Smoking	700 Club	Remington Steele	
(6)	Cosby	Cheers	Bob Hope's Birthday Spectacular From Paris					Unsolved Mysteries	News	Tonight
(7)	Alfair	Kate & Allie	Gro. Pains	Head Cls.	Barbara Walters Special				News	Nightline
(8)	MacNeil/Lehrer	Survival	American Playhouse						AC Clarke	Bless Me
(11)	Cagney & Lacey	Cagney & Lacey	Against Her Will					Spenser: For Hire		
(12)	Top Card	Crook	Nashville Now		VideoCountry		Country	Be a Star	Crook	
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Jake and the Fatman		Wiseguy			News	Pat Sajak	
(16C)	Cheers	INN News	Movie: "Outland"				INN News	Odd Couple	Cheers	H'mooner
(17D)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews		Larry King Live			News	Moneyline	Sports
(18E)	Movie: "The Right Stuff" Cont'd				Movie: "Body Heat"				Cinemax Sessions	
(20G)	Red Sox	Major League Baseball: Seattle Mariners at Boston Red Sox					To Be Announced			
(21H)	SportsCtr.	Sports	Adventure		World of Sports		Ladies Bowling: Fair Lanes		SportsCtr.	
(22I)	Griffith	Major League Baseball: Pittsburgh Pirates at Atlanta Braves					Movie: "The Dirty Dozen"			
(23J)	America's Business	Money Talks	Business Tonight				Focus	Money Talks		
(24K)	Gadget	Looney	Mister Ed	Patty Duke	My 3 Sons	Donna R.	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	Car 54
(25M)	Miami Vice		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "City Killer"				Miami Vice	
(27N)	Chronicle	Survival	Battle Line	20th Cent.	Wings Over the World	Decades: 70's		Larry Drake		
(29P)	Vampire	Movie: "Welcome To 18"			Police Academy 5: Assignment Miami	Not News	One Night	1st & Ten		
(31R)	Baby Animals		Like Family	Danger Bay	Movie: "The Natural"				Carnegie	
(32S)	Cosby	Kate & Allie	A-Team		A-Team		News	Benny Hill	Downey	
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Upton

By ARLINE BERNIER

The Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office on the first and third Thursdays of the month, at 8:30 p.m. Al Gagnon has accepted the appointment as fire warden. Arthur Couture remains on the job as building inspector. The Town Office is open for business on Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12, on Thursday, 8-8 p.m., and by special arrangement by calling 533-2581.

Lucy Nelson has been appointed librarian and may be reached by calling 533-2085.

The town dump is open 12-2, Sunday, and 3-5, Wednesday, for two-legged citizens only. The four-legged ones claim round-the-clock entry and scatter liberally.

If I were being threatened by one of these black brins, and a man and a gun were nearby, I would hope he would attempt to rescue me and not think of not having a license or closed season and taking his chances on the illegality. Be an Olie North in a small way.

The newspaper will be flooded with flood reports. We had our personal excess of water as we collected about 100 gallons of rain water and had just gotten a dozen gallon jugs of spring water from a roadside pipe when our pipeline thawed and the water gushed full speed from the faucet. A ditch outside the house got plugged and water covered the workroom floor and was threatening the rest of the house. Life can get hectic.

Early spring flowers are coloring the garden and the rhubarb is sprouting. To use up the last of last year's canned rhubarb, I mixed a pint of it with a can of crushed pineapple and some honey. This made a real nice sauce. There will be a rabies clinic on Friday, May 19, in Erol, N.H. For further information check with the town clerk, Clayton Thompson, or Dr. Hudson, of Bethel.

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We had a whatzif recently. Several people heard a sound like a long roll of thunder, but the sky was clear and blue and no storm followed. We checked for some booms but there were no planes seen or heard. One resident reported her house shook, dishes rattled and she thought earthquake but did not hear of one reported by weather bureau.

Ellis Leconte, Virginia Williamson and the Berniers were among the Upton people attending the wedding and reception of Christine Lagesse and Jock Morton, of Newry. There were about 200 relatives and friends from several states and towns present. The bride was dressed in a long white gown, the maid-of-honor, Perdita Davis, wore burgandy, the bridesmaids Penny and Candy Lavoie and Tina Seagar, wore pink. David Hunt was best man, Mike Lagesse, brother of the bride, Peter Morton, brother of the groom, and Bone Gauthier were ushers. The men wore pink sashes and ties. Pastor Rust, of the West Bethel church, was assisted by Pastor Hanscom, of the Newry church, where the ceremony was held. The reception was held at the Bethel Inn. I neglected to get the names of the flower girl and the ring bearer, who were a lovely part of the service.

The Plus Side

Need cash? Beware of hidden risks. Some people, intent on paying off one thing, put another at risk.

Reverse mortgages may be one answer, but you should read all the fine print and ask plenty of questions.

Question—"My house needs some pretty major repairs and a friend suggested a reverse mortgage. Is that a good idea?"

Answer—"Not unless you can sleep comfortably with the thought of possibly losing your home. If your income is limited, you should check first to see if you qualify for a low-income government home improvement loan. A reverse mortgage might be considered if a person is house-rich and cash-poor and hopes to turn equity in his home into cash for his declining years. Even so, a responsible third party should be consulted before entering into any agreement that endangers your home.

Although reverse mortgages sound like the wave of the future, the best advice is wait. New programs are being considered that offer more flexibility, availability and certainty of cost. For further information, telephone your local Area Agency on Aging, or write, Maine Committee on Aging, State House Station 127, Augusta, 04333.

CARD OF THANKS

Sheila Fleet
Thanks for the great save.
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Sportsman's Auction

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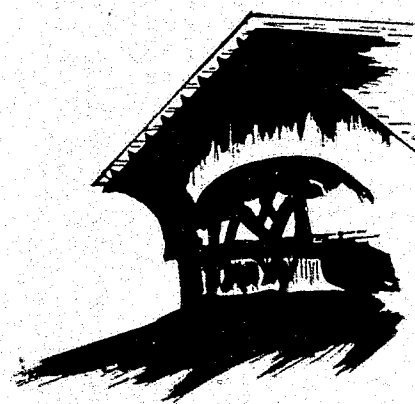
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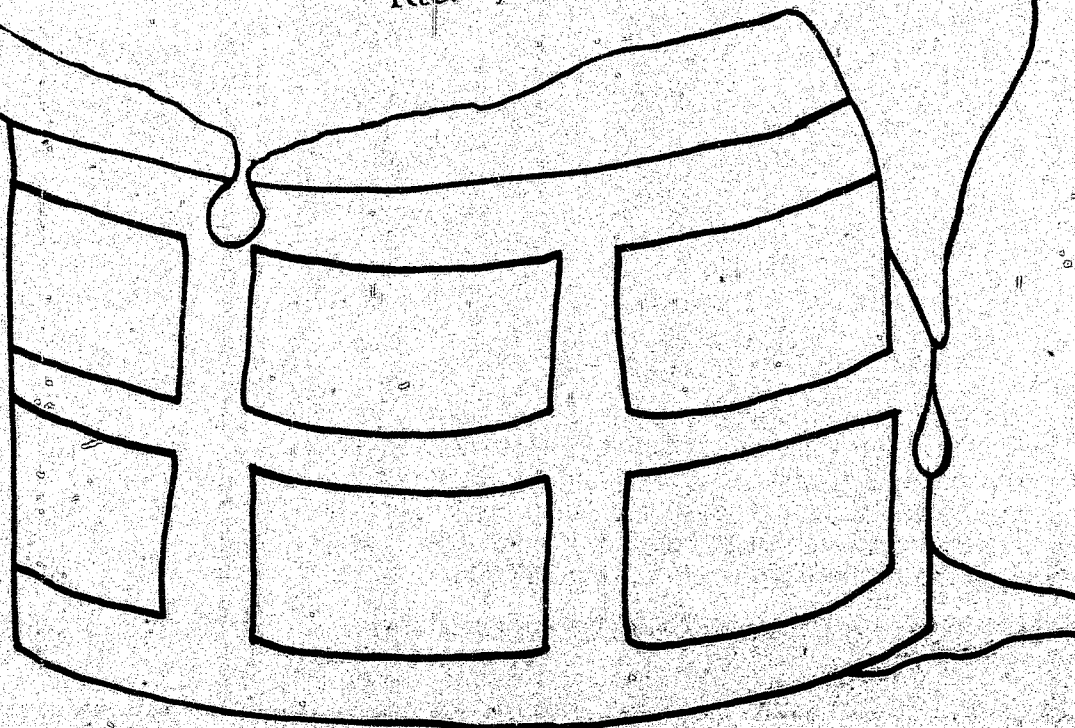
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DOUG ZINCHUK AND DON BEST tried to make up time during the paddling portion of the triathlon, but couldn't quite catch the much younger team of Kevin Davis and Tom Pena. Zinchuk and Best came in second overall in the triathlon, and second in the two-man category.

West Bethel

By CONSTANCE BROADBENT

Dear Muddy:

As I sit down to write this Mother's Day-plus-three epistle, I am still fuming. An hour or so ago, as I stood dreamily at the kitchen sink, rinsing utensils and watching the mountains, I was suddenly blasted from my reverie by strange movement at the bird feeder below. By the time I adjusted my near vision, I caught the climax of a scene that has me seething, even as we speak. A neighbor cat had shinned the pole, clung to the feeder shelf with one front paw and before I could cry out my objection, snatched a junco in the free paw. The cat's criminal swept the helpless aviator into its jaws and leapt to freedom—all in a matter of seconds. A hasty, but angry search of the premises turned up no grinning cat or tiny bird bones. But believe me, the case is not closed.

Enough of my complaints. How are you faring? Hopefully your patient is on the mend? Tell Aunt Gen that we send our love and healing good wishes. Perhaps you'd both like to continue the rehab at the Maine-ger? I'm sure that I could arrange it for you; I have an "in" with the linkekeeper.

West Bethel is a bustling village and this past week was typical. People enjoyed bellringers at church; Republicans ate turkey at the Grange Hall; one group did two trips to New Hampshire; and some went hiking and fishing.

The Junior Bellringers of the West Parish Congregational Church (downtown Bethel) stood like white-gloved angels before the West Bethel Union Church congregation last week, and under the inspiring direction of their pastor, Jean Bass, they pumped out a series of familiar hymns. While their lips kept the count, their young gloved fingers gripped the brass cloches, and sweet music filled the air. Enough to move one to tears of joy, I tell you.

Martha and Lydia Grover, of the West Bethel church, were among the performers. Martha, by the way, was ringing in her ninth birthday at the same time. Her Aunt Suzanne and Uncle Rupert Grover Jr., of Norway (Maine), were among the well-shot well-wishers present for the occasion. We all got extra hugs that day. And we welcomed a new member to the fold at the same time. Ruth Ann Cutler has recently moved to West Bethel from Marlborough, Mass., and on that Sunday she took her place as a church member. Deacon Dewey Thayer assisted Reverend Norman Rust

with the induction.

A few days later, down the road at the Grange Hall, a group of industrious Grangers prepared and served a turkey dinner for the spring meeting of the Oxford County Republican Committee. The diners gathered in great numbers (almost to overflowing) to enjoy the fruits of the Grange labor; the Grangers wound up the evening tired, but richer. Everyone left happy.

Speaking of happy times, Helen Saunders, Colleen Boyd, Dot Bean and Frances Bennett (Main Street) headed west for Shelburne, N.H., recently to attend a bridal shower for Diane Leger. Diane will marry Dan Gorham, who is nephew, grandnephew or cousin to all of the above. And in the same week, Helen and neighbors Frances Bennett (Main Street), Frances Bennett (Pleasant Valley Road), Grace Morrill, Clara Rolfe and Joyce Bennett motored to Gorham, N.H. to the American Legion Hall. The occasion was the annual meeting of the Bethel Senior Citizens, which boasts about 70 members. Charter members Sarah Stevens and Barbara Douglas received corsages and recognition on the anniversary of the group's founding. The members enjoyed lunch and entertainment provided by the Market Squares quartet. Their barbershop renditions of well-known melodies topped off a delightful gathering.

Meanwhile, out in Mason, folks took a break from field-dressing (see last week's issue for description) and took to the woods. Donald and I joined Ina and Rupert Grover on a most pleasant afternoon hike over the same trails that we skied so often this winter. How different they looked in their barely green dress. Brooks, swelled with recent rain, bubbled at every turn; at some points we had to create bridges to carry us over the swollen places (Ina got "Sea-bee of the Day" for that).

Later, at a favorite fishing hole, I encountered yet another new experience (will they never end?). I fished. Yes, I, who have managed for half a century, while growing up a tomboy (as you well know) and raising three anglers, to avoid casting anything remotely resembling a worm, found myself reeling in the line with Ina's encouragement. Before I knew it, I was squealing with beginner's delight as a small, but legal brook trout dangled before my eyes. The landing was followed by casting instruction, how-to-get-the-tangled-line-out-of-the-tree instruction and how-to-hook-the-next-nibbler instruction. All of this took place under Ina's tranquil tutelage at water's edge while the husbands dallied in the

GED Week a success

The SAD #44 Adult and Community Education program held a special GED session at the Andover fire station during GED Week, observed throughout the state last week.

According to Cathy Newell, director of adult and community education, several new GED students took advantage of the Andover session, as well as others who were in the process of testing already. There is no charge for GED preparation or testing in SAD #44 so that those who missed the special state promotional Mrs. Newell will be back in Andover, at the Andover Elementary School, on Monday, May 15, and Monday, May 22, 6:30-9 p.m., to offer GED testing. GED testing is available during day or evening hours throughout the week at Telstar High School in Bethel.

Those interested may call, 824-2780, or stop in at the Adult Education office, which is just inside the main high school entrance.

dingly.

And so I became a "fish-on-a-dog" in a flash. Little did I know that I'd become a fisher so fast; I went with the intention of watching.

Watching is our very recent pastime. The week wound up in torrents of rain (much needed, but more than manageable). And so everyone watches the sky for breaks in the clouds, watches the rivers and streams as they swell to overflowing, watches the weather forecaster for word of let-up or warning. As we all watch and wait, grass grows, tulips bud, daffodils pop up in unexpected places and the mature gives up its goodness to the soil. Mother Nature will have her way.

So, Mother dear, that's my week as it was, complete with killer bug Mary Genevieve gently for us. Tell her we'll be down soon to say hello.

I'm off to target practice... and then it's "Stalking the Wild Calico"... Happy Mother's Day again. This year I'm buying you a tree for my front yard... maybe a maple.

Love, C.B.

Telstar track results

On May 4, a powerful Lisbon High School track team overpowered Telstar and Mexico high school teams. The score was Lisbon 135, Telstar 23 and Mexico 16.

The only first-place finish garnered by the Rebels was in the 4x400 relay. The team consisted of Eric Bennett, Scott Emery, Jamie Blake, and Gregor Axler. Other scorers for Telstar were as follows:

Eric Bennett placed 2nd in the javelin. Gregor Axler took seconds in the 400 meter and long jump. Jamie Blake placed 2nd in the triple jump and 4th in both the long jump and 200 meter. Ryan Bernier ran to a 3rd in the 800 meter. Scott Emery and Jason Miseroochi took 4th-place finishes in the 400 meter and 3200 meter respectively.

The Runnin' Rebels had an exciting meet with Leavitt and Livermore Falls this past Tuesday. The score was Leavitt 72½, Telstar 88½, and Livermore Falls 40.

Gregor Axler had an outstanding day, placing 1st in the long jump, shot put, 400 meter and 4x400 meter relay team. Other scorers were as follows:

Jamie Blake grabbed a 1st in the triple jump, 2nd in the long jump, 3rd in the 200-meter dash, and a 1st as part of the 4x400 meter relay team. Rick Matteson vaulted to a 1st in the pole vault. Eric Bennett placed 2nd in the discus and 4th in the shot put. He was also a member of the winning 4x400 relay team. Scott Emery ran to a 2nd in the 400 meter and helped the 4x400 relay team to a 1st place. Jason Miseroochi placed 2nd in the 3200 meter and 3rd in the 1600 meter runs. Ryan Bernier took a 2nd in the 800 meter and a 4th in the pole vault. Greg Corrin placed 2nd in the pole vault. Todd Swan leaped to a 2nd in the high jump. Teague Berry took thirds in both the pole vault and discus. Kirke Haskell placed 3rd in the high jump. David Foster placed 4th in the 800 meter run. The 4x100 meter relay team of Chris Buckingham, Jordi de la Pena, Stan Moore and Dustin Howe placed 1st in that event.

The Telstar girls finished 2nd in a triangular meet at Mexico High School. The score was Lisbon 93, Telstar 50 and Mexico 26.

Amy Blake again set another school record in the 300 meter hurdles, with a time of 50.4 seconds, shattering the old record by more than three seconds. Amy also took a 1st in the 100 meter dash, a 2nd in the 100 meter hurdles and won as part of the 2nd-place 1600 meter relay team.

Other girls scoring in the meet included:

• November Yates—1st, shot put; 2nd, javelin; 4th, high jump;

• Paula Michaud—2nd, 100 meter hurdles; 2nd long jump;

• Robin Michaud—3rd, 100 meter hurdles; 4th, 100 meter dash; 4th 200 meter dash;

• Heather Roberts—4th, 100 meter hurdles;

• Jen Gould—2nd, 300 meter hurdles; 3rd, 200 meter dash;

• Angela Applin—2nd, discus; 4th, 800 meter;

• Satoko Funazaki—3rd, high jump;

• Michelle Konkright—3rd, 3200 meter run; 3rd, triple jump;

• Lynda Salway—4th, shot put;

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THE LAST MILE—Could senior Patrice Leary struggles up Mill Hill on the final leg of last week's triathlon. Patrice's four-person team came in first in their category. The triathlon consisted of a five-mile bike ride (on mountain bikes) through the muddy woods between Grover Hill and Albany, then a one-mile canoe race around a course on Songo Pond, and finally a three-mile run from the pond back to the Gould campus.

BETHEL SENIOR CITIZENS

Bethel Senior Citizens met May 10, at the American Legion Hall in Gorham, N.H., with 68 in attendance, to celebrate the 27th Anniversary of the club.

Seated at the decorated head table were guests, charter members, officers and birthday members. President Muriel Faudi presented corsages to charter members Sarah Stevens and Barbara Douglas and carnations to birthday members Elsie Bennett, Joan Coolidge

and Leavitt. The score was Livermore Falls 51, Telstar 53 and Leavitt 56.

Girls scoring in the meet were:

• Amy Blake—1st, 100 meter hurdles; 1st, 300 meter hurdles;

• November Yates—1st, shot put; 2nd, javelin; 4th, high jump;

• Paula Michaud—2nd, 100 meter hurdles; 2nd long jump;

• Robin Michaud—3rd, 100 meter hurdles; 4th, 100 meter dash; 4th 200 meter dash;

• Heather Roberts—4th, 100 meter hurdles;

• Jen Gould—2nd, 300 meter hurdles; 3rd, 200 meter dash;

• Angela Applin—2nd, discus; 4th, 800 meter;

• Satoko Funazaki—3rd, high jump;

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High Street

By VIVA WHITMAN

Another cloudy morning greets us today. Seems as though we have seen more cloudy days than sunny ones lately. As Russell says, the garden won't dry enough to plant it with so much rain. It is so very wet from the last deluge of rain that we need several days of sunshine to dry it enough to work on it. Oh well, just hope and pray for better weather is all we can do, I guess.

Last week sure was a busy one around here. Peggy had started work putting out greeting cards for LaVerdiere's at South Paris and Bridgton and went on Tuesday of last week to do this. Wednesday was the day for her to take me to see the doctor in North Bridgton and she was busy in the afternoon making cream puffs for the Senior Citizen dinner to take place on Thursday. Got up on Thursday morning and finished the cream puffs and she and Russell went to Bryant Pond to help with the Senior Citizen dinner. Came home a little early as she had to take me to Lewiston for a checkup after the operation and at the same time she met the woman who is showing her how to set up the cards, etc. at the stores. They met in the parking lot while I was in seeing the doctor.

Friday was another full day as Peggy and Russell went for groceries and then in the evening they went to Oxford to Grange for another three point meeting. Also helped out with the program by putting on a short skit.

Saturday morning we were up early getting Russell ready to leave with Peggy to go to Augusta where they participated in a contest for the assistant and lady assistant. They had to go through the ritual that they do in Grange meetings. They didn't win any prizes but had a good time and said it was very educational for them. Charlotte Cole had come down and gone with them that morning. In the evening, they all got ready and went to West Paris for the dance.

Don't know where they found the energy, but they went anyway. Sunday, Peggy went to West Bethel to visit her daughter, Loretta Merrill, and family. Didn't stay too long as they were going to Portland to visit their daughter, so Peggy went to East Andover to visit Laura Hutchins and on her way home stopped to visit an old friend, Ivy Bartlett. She didn't get home very early. I stayed home most of the time fighting this cold, which I swear is more like bronchitis than a cold. I have just about roughed my head off and have a very sore bunny from the operation and with all this coughing. If I had a gentle cough it wouldn't hurt so bad, but I have a cough that just about vibrates the trailer so it makes me very sore. Antibiotics haven't gotten rid of it and I for one don't know what will.

Decided it wouldn't hurt anything more than anything else on Monday and went to town to get some more medication as well as do a little shopping. Got a few items that I need for my trip to Colorado and still have a few more to get. Just got to get over this mess I have before that time comes—and it is coming fast.

Russell had planted some of his flowers that came and would like to plant more of the vegetable garden if it wasn't so wet. Can't even work it with the rototiller. It is so wet. However, his peas that he planted out front are coming up so guess they didn't freeze or get washed away.

He has got to plant his begonias pretty soon by the looks of them. They are in the middle room here and if you could see how they have grown you would find it hard to believe. They are the tuberous ones and do well if they don't get much sun. He has had some in a window box the past two years but has more this year than the window box will hold, so don't know just where he will plant them, but he will put them somewhere where they will look pretty.

Don't see much of the squirrels now and not so many birds at the feeder. Russell has run out of seed and says that he will wait till next fall to start again as this seed costs so much. The birds can get what they need pretty well now without the snow and cold so guess they will get by all right. I do miss watching them, but there is so much to see now that I guess

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TOM PENA TAKES A LOOK OVER HIS SHOULDER to see if anyone is catching up to him on the three-mile run from Songo Pond to the Gould campus. Don Best actually did catch him later on, but Tom raced away from him going up Mill Hill. Tom and teammate Kevin Davis were the overall winners of the triathlon, and also the winners of the two-man category.



ROBERT RHU emerged mud-splattered from the dark woods during the mountain bike portion of last week's Gould triathlon. He proceeded to Songo Pond, where teammates paddled the canoe portion of the race. A fourth teammate then handled the running chores.

So. Woodstock

By OLIVE R. DAVIS

Mrs. Goldie Mason is giving a six-week course on health food to 24 students, at present, at the Oxford Hill High School. Dr. Ronald Davis, of Yarmouth, comes up and gives lectures on the subject working in conjunction with Mrs. Mason. This is an adult course but anyone who is interested can join the class. A banquet will be held at the close of these meetings at the school with a sample of the recipes that have been in their cookbooks, which were passed out to the group during the six weeks.

Donald Mason has built a house on his land at the end of Curtis Hill road.

I can wait till fall for them to come again.

No special news from Mary this week, only that West Paris Grange had a good turnout at the dance last Saturday night and that there will be a meeting of the Grange on May 18. It will be the Memorial meeting so should have a good program. There will be refreshments after the meeting so come and enjoy. Hope everyone has a good week ahead and don't get moldy from all the rain and wet. Take care and good health to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews called on their aunt, bringing her a Mother's Day card. They took off Olive's double windows, which was nice.

Sylvia has had the cast removed from her forearm at last. It is still painful. Sometimes we have too many knock-outs all at once, and this has been hers.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks took Bertha Benoit and Olive Davis to Oxford, Friday night, where they took part in a three point meeting with Oxford and Mt. Sugarloaf Granges.

We had another rainy day Saturday. It's helping the grass to grow green again anyway, and we need it.

Some changes are being made on Curtis Hill. Peter Demarest is having his home moved off the wooded hill below the road beside the new home of his father, Donald Demarest. Peter is using father's garage for a body shop at present.

A pond has been made on the left hand side of the road where the trees were all removed below Mark and Peggy Turk's new house on Curtis Hill.

A new house is being built near Cummings' turn by Irwin Kennison Smith. She has been living in California for some time.

MISS BILLHEIMER TO WED
Mr. and Mrs. David Billheimer, of Tenants Harbor, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Carrie Grace, to James Gorman, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Gorman, of Bethel.

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THIS WEEK AT THE Moses Mason House

The 10th annual Faye Taylor Memorial Art Show will be held Saturday, May 27, in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House, beginning at 10 p.m. and continuing throughout the day until 4 p.m. The show will feature competition among students of SAD #44, grades 1-6. Since this year is the 200th anniversary of Dr. Moses Mason's birth, the theme this year should relate in some way to that important milestone. Anyone having questions should direct them to the Society's office, at 324-2808.

Dr. Moses Mason's 200th birthday will be observed on Sunday, May 28, in the house on Broad Street he occupied during his lifetime. A special exhibit on his life and times will open in the meeting room and Society Director Stanley R. Howe will make a presentation concerning some of the highlights of his life. The hours of the birthday party will be 2-4 p.m. This event officially inaugurates the 1989 summer season at the Dr. Moses Mason House.

Congratulations are in order for three couples, all members of the Bethel Historical Society, who recently celebrated 50 years of marriage: Herb and Ruth Kiltridge, Jack and Eleanor Parsons, Dana and Barbara Douglass.

Ruth Brown Salo, of South Paris, and Julia Bumpus Bernat, of Springvale, have presented the Society with a copy of their genealogical gleanings titled "Some Bumpus Families of Hebron, Maine." Geraldine Howe, of Bethel, has presented the Society with a collection of advertising pens from Bethel businesses as well as assorted programs of Bethel events circa 1900. An anonymous donor has donated a video, "Sins of Our Mothers," a PBS presentation dealing with a woman who marries her son in Fayette, Maine in the 19th century. This donor has also presented a copy of "Phillips Through My Eyes," by Winona R. Davenport. Joan Skillings Coolidge, Hanover, has presented the Society with a collection of Bethel Grand Army of Republic buttons and medallions. George K. Haines, of Bethel, has donated a photograph of the Emery house, which once stood behind the present Roberts Poultry Farm and a copy of the tax assessors' records for Bethel in 1884. Much appreciation is expressed for all these generous gifts to the collections of the Bethel Historical Society.

LOOKING BACKWARD

10 Years Ago: Albert C. Smith, of Bethel, received a safety award for 100,000 miles of accident-free driving from Tri-State Motor Transit Company of Joplin, Mo. Students at Gould Academy presented the play "The Crucible" in Bingham Hall Auditorium.

Births: Jocelyn C. Stowell.

Marriages: Brian Verrill and Karen Emery. Jeffrey A. Littlehale and Terri L. Wright.

Deaths: Guy Perkins, Ethelyn Rookolaian Lord, Lena P. Merrill, Abby Dudley, S. Doris Files.

20 Years Ago: Ethel Ward and Ruth Hastings were honored at the PTA

SENIOR CITIZEN MENUS

Monday, May 22: Baked beans, all-beef franks, pickled beets, brown bread, peaches.

Tuesday, May 23: Shepherd pie, biscuit, mixed fruit, cookie.

Thursday, May 25: Baked chicken leg, whipped potatoes, peas, biscuit, custard pie.

meeting following announcement of their retirements from teaching. They were presented gifts from the group. A program on the history of Bethel Village was presented at the Bethel Historical Society. Donations to the Bethel Historical Society endowment included six yards of pennies from Mary Calderwood, one yard from Colleen Boyd, four yards from Donald Fraser, and two yards from Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett. About 800 Boy Scouts and leaders of the Abnaki District were camped at Greenwood.

Marriages: Edward (Ned) Robertson and Rosalind Siegel.

Deaths: Harland (Pete) Shaw, Grace N. Emery.

30 Years Ago: Mailbox improvement week was observed in Bethel. A large bear crossed the road near the former Hagood farm on the Songo road in front of a car driven by Edmond Vachon.

Births: Sherry Lynn Akers, Michael A. Noble.

40 Years Ago: The Bethel Skiing and Outing Club cooperated with the American Red Cross to sponsor swimming classes at Songo Pond. Royden Keddy graduated from Harvard Law School. Miles Brooks purchased the P.C. Andrews cottage on Sunday River.

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AWARD WINNERS AT THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE'S annual awards banquet display their awards. Mary Keniston received the Henry H. Hastings Citizenship Award (presented by Margaret Joy Tibbets); Jeff Parsons received the Business Award on behalf of Outward Bound (presented by Steve Wight); and Frances Clark received the Senior Citizen Award (presented by Norma Jodrey). The banquet was held Saturday night at Sunday River Ski Resort.



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NEWS FROM

Adult Education

The Adult and Community Education office has learned that NOVA will again offer the Class I Truck Driving course this summer. Application forms are available at the Adult and Community Education office at Telstar. More detailed information is available from NOVA in Mexico, 394-3764.

Cathy Newell, director of adult and community education, attended the spring meetings for Maine's adult education directors, held in Freeport April 27-28. She also recently met with adult education directors, regional vocational directors, and officials from CMVIT as part of an ongoing dialogue about improving coordination between the VTs in Maine and the regions they serve. The group has decided to formally organize and meet five times each year. Cal Chaplin, director of the Lake Region Vocational Center, will chair the group. The S&D #44 Adult and Community Education program will offer a summer program starting in late June or early July, featuring GED preparation, remedial math for adults who need brush-up, two levels of computer courses, and a selection of enrichment courses. The course brochure will be mailed out in early June. Any last-minute suggestions for courses are welcome at the office. Call 324-5780.

The adult Class of 1989 will be graduating on Tuesday, June 6, at the Bethel Inn Conference Center, with Gary Crocker of the Maine VTI system as speaker. The public is invited to attend and take part in this highlight of the adult education year. Caps and gowns will be worn for the first time by adult education graduates in S&D #44.

Adult guidance counselor Merrill Bittner recently attended a day of specialized training in the use of labor market in-

formation in career counseling, sponsored by the Maine Occupational Information Coordinating Committee in Brunswick. The Adult Guidance Resource Center at Telstar has an extensive selection of material on the subject, as well as catalogues from post-secondary institutions, materials on resume writing and other topics useful to adults seeking a career change. The Center is available during day and evening hours. Adults are also welcome to work on an individual basis with computer-assisted instruction in such subjects as reading, language and math, as well as typing. No previous computer training is necessary and there is no charge. An appointment is necessary. Call, 324-5780.

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Chamber of Commerce

The Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce held its 20th annual awards banquet last Saturday evening at White Cap Lodge, Sunday River Ski Resort.

A crowd of more than 100 businesspeople, community citizens and friends joined to enjoy a delicious dinner, the awards ceremony and dancing to the New Hampshire band "Radio Flyer."

The awards presentation, always the highlight of the evening, consisted of three awards this year. The Senior Citizen Award, presented by Norma Jodrey, was awarded to Frances Clark, an active Bethel woman who is moving to Ogunquit.

The Henry H. Hastings Award for citizenship was presented by Margaret Joy Tibbets to a deserving Mary C. Keniston, of Bethel, for her many years of dedication to community activities.

The Business of the Year Award was presented by Steve Wight to Outward Bound. A lively Jeff Parsons was on hand to receive the award for the group. It was an evening enjoyed by all.

Notes from the

Woodstock Historical Society

The Woodstock Historical Society currently plans to open its museum the last Saturday in May. From then on it should be open every Saturday, 1-4 p.m., throughout the summer. And, of course, meetings are held every second Saturday of the month, at 7 p.m. We covet your patronage at both or either.

In the area of exhibits, the most notable progress this past year has been in the addition of new materials for doing historical and genealogical research. The museum now has histories of most of the large towns surrounding Woodstock, such as Rumford, Bethel, South Paris, and Norway. This makes it possible for visitors to do research for the entire vicinity of Woodstock right at our museum building. The research of Ruby Emery is also well represented here. So do come and see what the resources of our archives are.

The Society also has many items on sale at the museum, including our own newly printed "Pictorial History of Woodstock." There is as yet no admission charge; but, as always, contributions are gratefully accepted.

Woodstock is fortunate in that it has had many distinguished citizens over the years. We have boasted a Maine governor, a bishop, a Civil War hero, a President's daughter, a distinguished musician, a portrait painter, a noted historian, and an army general, among others. Then there have been hundreds of average civic-minded individuals who have worked and sacrificed for the good of the community. Truly, Woodstock has been blessed in the calibre of its citizenry over the years.

Liane Chapman, owner of Flights of Fancy, Antiques and Collectibles, of Portland and Arundel, will speak about Antique Toys at the W.H.S. June program.

If any members have an old toy and wish to bring it to the meeting, Liane will be glad to give them some idea as to its value or answer any other questions about the toy that the member might have.

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THE WEST PARIS LADIES AUXILIARY held a successful sale last week, featuring baked goods, crafts, etc. Above, Audrey and Abby Inman picked the winning raffie ticket for the beautiful fuchsia plant, at right. The winner was Corrinne Hammond, of West Paris.

East Stoneham

By GLADYS KILGORE

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barker have arrived home from Florida for the summer.

Mrs. Mary Grover has been serving on the jury at South Paris for the past week. The frogs are peeping, so I guess spring is here. Such a welcome little song from them.

Mrs. Grace Nelson and Mrs. Kate Flynn attended the Republican meeting at Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown's new home on the Lovell road.

Ivan Curtis and family, of Massachusetts, spent the weekend at the Curtis Camp on Lake Keewadin.

Paul Taylor, my nephew, of Nashua, N.H., has been visiting me for a few days. The mother and daughter banquet and fashion show was held at the North Waterford church Thursday night.

Father Donald McAllister, of Norway, visited his sister, Mrs. Helen Grover, one day.

Mrs. Helen Grover attended the communal services in honor of her great-grandson, Andrew Dean, at the Catholic Church, at South Paris, Sunday. The Farris family also attended.

Miss Shirley Grant visited her brother and wife over the weekend.

Locke Mills

By LORRAINE MILLS

Faye Henley, wife of Albert Henley, of Howe Hill Road, is very ill and in the hospital. It would cheer her up if you sent her a card. Her address is Central Maine Medical Center, Room #184, Main St., Lewiston, 04240.

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MIDDLE INTERVALE CEMETERY.

Middle Intervale Cemetery Association Clean-up Day will be May 20, with rain date May 21.

The association held its annual meeting at the home of Robert Stevens, with 10 members present.

Anyone who has artificial flowers at the cemetery and wants them saved should have them removed before clean-up.

New officers are: president—Robert Stevens, vice-president—Tom Carter, secretary—Althea Stevens, treasurer—Pat Carter, sexton—Alvin Stevens, trustees—Elizabeth Carter, Ronald Stevens, and Alvin Stevens.

SWOAM WOODLOT TOUR MAY 20

Small Woodland Owners Association of Maine (SWOAM) will visit Christmas Tree Heights in Rumford, on Saturday, May 20. Joe St. Pierre, the owner, will take the group on a tour of his 20 acres of balsam fir, and will talk about his experience in growing trees, marketing them, and making wreaths.

Mr. St. Pierre's farm is located on Burgess Hill, off Rte. 108, approximately one mile south of downtown Rumford. Look for SWOAM signs.

The meeting starts at 9 a.m. For further information, call Bill Weston, 394-4007.

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Although stress is the major factor triggering migraines, headaches can result from exposure to bright lights or a stuffy room, the ingestion of foods such as chocolate, aged cheese, nuts, and citrus which contain the blood vessel dilator tyramine.

Mild migraine headaches may respond to nonprescription medicines such as aspirin or acetaminophen. More severe attacks may require ergotamine, which constricts blood vessels. Some medicines can also be used to prevent migraine headaches. Propranolol, one of the most effective medicines against migraines, prevents blood vessel dilation. Other medicines which prevent migraines include amitriptyline, clonidine, and methysergide.



THE ANDROSCOGGIN RIVER, near the Route 2 bridge in Bethel, rose steadily until late Friday, putting fields under water.



THIS CONSTRUCTION SITE on the Sunday River Road turned into a pond as the waters of the Sunday River rose last Friday.



SANDING BROOK, in Bethel, turned Mason Street partially into a river, while flooding basements from Broad Street to Railroad Street. Developers who hope to put in a large-scale housing development behind the trees above, say they will clean out the brook and dig a retention pond to control the annual floods.

Agnes Gray School

By MARTA CLEMENTS

The week of May 7-13 was National Teacher Appreciation week, and we were made to feel appreciated. Many thanks to Michelle Blake, our parent volunteer coordinator, and to Eileen Mowatt for their efforts in organizing a very special surprise.

On May 9, Teacher Appreciation Day, a school wide assembly was held. No one breathed a word! Each teacher and teacher aide was presented with a unique clay apple, made in secret with the art teacher. The apple was on a base with something special written for each teacher and these were presented to each teacher by a student from his or her class. We will cherish them!

News from individual classes this week begins with Kindergarten. The children are learning the letter "W" by making the letter in sand trays. Only X, Y, Z to go! The 1st-graders are working in math teams and are working hard on 10's and 1's. This is done by means of oral word problems to show recognition of groups of 10's and groups of 1's. There are four teams: Lindsey's Team, Nathan's Team, Becky's Team, and Bryan's Team. There is a winner in each round and there will be a grand winner at the end.

The 2nd-graders are also working on problem-solving in math, studying machines, inclined planes and pulleys, in science and are working on a booklet, writing about themselves for Mother's Day presents.

The 3rd-graders are combining art and science and are building bird houses. In language arts they are learning all about "y" changing to "i".

The 4th-graders have set a date and hope to be going to Augusta on May 25. They will be visiting the State House, the Blaine House, and the Maine State Museum. They will be leaving from school at 9 a.m. and not returning until 4 p.m.

My 5th-graders have created answers and questions over their current social studies chapter and we are all set to play Jeopardy! This is harder than it sounds. We are used to answering questions, but not making up the questions to our answers. We are learning the poem, "The Walrus and the Carpenter," by Lewis Carroll. This is a joint effort this week. Everyone must learn one verse, but more can be learned if so desired.

Grades 5 and 6 are getting ready for scoliosis screening. Our school nurse, Mrs. Sheila Morse, will show a short film

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU!

WEEK OF MAY 22

SAD #44--

Monday: Sloppy Joe on rice or biscuit (Telstar, choice of California chicken), green beans, fruit, biscuit and butter, milk.

Tuesday: Pork patty and gravy (Telstar, choice of meat), mashed potato, peas and carrots, brownie, bread and butter, milk.

Wednesday: Spaghetti and meat sauce, fresh vegetable sticks, fruit, blueberry muffin and butter, milk.

Thursday: Hamburger in a bun, cheese, onion, tomato, lettuce, fruit, milk.

Friday: Roast turkey and gravy, mashed potato, peas, congo bar, mixed bread and butter, milk.

SAD #17--

Monday: Pizza, corn, fruit, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburger on roll, lettuce and tomato, potato chips, apple, milk.

Wednesday: Tuna salad plate with tossed salad, fruit medley, cinnamon roll, milk.

Thursday: Beans and hotdog, roll and butter, cole slaw, cookie, milk.

Friday: Hawaiian meatballs, stir fry vegetables, dinner roll and butter, banana, milk.

and hold a discussion of what this is all about. This will be followed up by an examination at a later date. Mrs. Morse will check the girls and our physical education teacher will check the boys. Parents will be notified if a further check by a family doctor is recommended.

The Chapter One reading teacher is sponsoring an end-of-the-year Scrambled Sundae contest. Points will be earned with each book read and a celebration will be enjoyed by all the winners.

The Elementary Art Show will be held at the Guy E. Rowe School on Friday, May 19, 5-8 p.m. We are hoping for a good turnout.

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WEST BETHEL Children's Center

Do you suppose that Spring is really and finally here?

The theme of the week here has been "animals," and the children have been delighted over this topic. On Wednesday they were invited to visit Brenda Blaisdell's (just a mile out the Flat Road), where they found lop-eared rabbits and one bunny; two huge mother pigs with several smaller pigs; a frisky puppy; five ducks in the pond--along with one gorgeous goose. Brenda gave bread to each child to feed the fowls, and gave all a lot of time to enjoy the animals. Thanks, Bub.

On Friday, Fern Hickey is bringing in her baby kittens for all to see, from 7:30 to 8:30...and if the weather holds, staff and children will take a trip to teacher Tracy's barn to see baby chicks, goslings, turkeys, a 15-year-old pony named Dixie, and a couple of hamsters. Also three kittens and a mouse cat, two little pigs, and four bunnies. Wow!

Outward Bound is expected to come to the Center on Friday to do a service project at the playground. Hopefully, some of the equipment that is in disrepair will be spruced up, fixed up, and made safe once more.

The adorable Star-of-the-Week is Casey Jean Gannon of East Bethel Road. She is almost five years old and has done a great job in telling the group about her family and favorite things.

The Golden Oldies High Ryder dance was a total success, and they have been booked to do another one or two in the fall and next spring. Many thanks to all who helped.

We do have immediate openings for the Day Care program and openings for the summer program. Please let us know if anyone needing these services. Thanks.

Songo Pond

By ALICE KIMBALL

Committal services for Leonard (Jimmy) Kimball will be held at the Songo Cemetery Saturday morning, May 20, at 11 a.m., Rev. Norman Rust officiating. Graveside services were conducted last Monday afternoon by Rev. Norman Rust for Pat Grenier at the Songo Cemetery.

Weston Flint, of South Paris, who recently returned from Florida, and Mrs. Winona Verrill were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Elmira Doyen.

Visitors here on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. James Nike, of Gardiner. Mrs. Mildred Dolph was at the doctor's in Norway, Wednesday, for x-rays and a new cast put on her broken ankle. Mrs. Christine Kimball, with Mrs. Mary Doon and Mrs. Pam Rugg, attended the mother-daughter banquet and style show at the North Waterford Church, Thursday evening.

Flooding of rivers and streams and roads caused the cancellation of schools in this area Friday due to the heavy rains the last few days.

The memorial service at the Hunt's Corner Church will be held Sunday evening, May 21, at 7 p.m. Rev. Norman Rust minister.

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Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT

Judith Grover Tent #17 met on Monday, May 8, at the Grange Hall with 15 members present. General order #2 was read and filed. Kathleen McAllister filled in for chaplain. Plans for Memorial Day were discussed. Floral arrangements were fixed and posters made for the food sale and white elephant sale to be held on Saturday, May 20, from 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., with a lunch at noon. Tables may be brought to sell your own things on; call 665-2460 or 665-2841 for a table. There were 39 calls made. We will copy over the lists of flags put out after Memorial Day so as to see how many new ones we have. Next meeting will be June 12.

The Woodstock Alumni met on Tuesday night to finish plans for the alumni banquet and write invitations to the 60- and 50-year alumni and Telstar seniors from Woodstock and Greenwood. The alumni banquet is Saturday, June 3, at Telstar High School, at 6 p.m., tickets can be purchased at the door. Five members attended.

The Woodstock Firemen's Auxiliary met at the firehall to clean it and have a meeting to plan the senior citizens dinner for June. Five members attended.

The Memorial Day program will be held at the Honor Roll on Monday, May 23, at 1 p.m. Parade to follow marching to the cemetery and back to the Grange Hall.

Newry to honor vets of Korea and Vietnam wars

The rock in front of Newry's municipal building will soon have a plaque honoring the local veterans of the Korean and Vietnam conflicts. The selectmen decided yesterday (Tuesday) there was enough money in the war memorial fund to pay for the plaque.

The town will honor its war dead from all wars Sunday, May 28, at 10:30 a.m., in an early Memorial Day service, at the memorial rock.

In other town office news, Tax Collector Mary Tripp was expected to go to the county office in South Paris today (Wednesday) to place liens against two dozen properties that are delinquent in paying taxes. The liens will mature in 18 months, at which time the town will sell the properties to the highest bidder.

LOVELL FAIR JULY 15

All area craftspersons are invited to participate in a "Common Fair and Market" to benefit the Lovell Historical Society's building fund. It will be July 15 at Lovell's VFW Hall, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

A donation for space is \$10 per exhibitor. Exhibitors will be required to provide their own set up, and space will be assigned on a "first come, first pick" basis.

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QUILT SHOW IN WINDHAM

The 12th Annual Quilt Show sponsored by the Pine Tree Quilters Guild of Maine will be held on Friday, July 28, Saturday, July 29, and Sunday, July 30 at the Windham Junior High School in Windham. Marge Bowen, this year's chairman, says she has "already received some exciting entries and the response has been wonderful."

Coinciding with the quilt show, Pine Tree is again offering a bonanza of quilt workshops. Quilter Janet Elwin will teach "Paper Free Hexagon Piecework" and a wonderful "Scrap & Painted Star." Kathleen Weinheimer will guide you through the intricacies of working with color in her "Amish Color" workshop in addition to a class on "Wild Fabrics." For those interested in learning more about design, Paula Libby will teach "Simple By Design." Darlene Gauthier is teaching "Applique for Beginners and Beyond." "Making Your Own Feathered Designs" is offered by Dorothy Davis, "Terrific Trepunt" by Catherine Gelf, and "Woven Basket with Broderie Perse" by Betty Sambar. These classes are for all levels of quilters. Some are half day classes and some are all day.

Pine Tree Quilters Guild is a non-profit organization with approximately 43 chapters spread throughout Maine. The local chapters often are involved in quilt related projects to keep their communities.

For further information regarding entry forms, workshop information, lodging available in the Windham area, send a long business size S.A.S.E. to Pine Tree Quilters Guild, c/o Marge Bowen, P.O. Box 644, Windham, 04092.

MUNDT-ALLEN POST NEWS

On May 9, Mundt-Allen American Legion and Auxiliary of Bethel held their annual installation of officers at the Legion Hall on Vernon Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dean and son, Nathan, were invited guests of the evening. Nathan gave a most interesting and informative report on his recent trip to the Freedom Foundation in Valley Forge, Pa. The Freedom Foundation is a Legion-sponsored program. Nathan is a senior at Telstar and last year as a junior was a delegate from Post #81 to Boys State.

Abbie Buswell, widow of Cmdr. Eugene Buswell, who died last December as a result of an automobile accident, was presented a Resolution of Respect and an American Legion clock in his memory.

Vito DeFilippo, installing officer, was presented a check for \$200 for the Chris DeFilippo Memorial Scholarship Fund. The Post also designated an additional \$300 scholarship to be known as the Eugene Buswell Memorial Scholarship. This brings the Post scholarships to five. Carolyn Brooks conducted the Auxiliary installation, with Jeri Brooks acting as sgt-at-arms and Mike Coco as chaplain. Cmdr. Joe Taylor called a meeting of the Legion for Monday evening, May 15, at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of finalizing Memorial Day events.

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Alcohol cited in crashes

The Bureau of Safety reports that 13 people died in Maine traffic crashes in April.

The fact that five of the fatalities (38 percent) involved alcohol is a concern to Albert Godfrey, co-chairperson of the Maine Highway Safety Commission. "Summer is approaching and summer is when more recreational activities and events involve alcohol," said Mr. Godfrey. "If you're going to such an event, appoint a designated driver who will refrain from drinking."

The monthly report further explained that three of the victims were pedestrians, and one a motorcycle passenger who was not wearing a helmet. Of the time who died in passenger vehicles, only two were using safety belts.

The 1989 fatality count through April

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Pastor Glyn Davies, 743-2569
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Wednesday at 7 p.m., Bible study.

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Wednesday
Pathfinder Club Meeting, 6 p.m. (ages 10 and up)
North Paris Federated Church
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Sunday
10 a.m. Family Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Praying Service
6 p.m. Evening Service
Tuesday
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Thursday
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Prayer and Bible Study, 6:30.
Friday
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7 p.m. Rumford Christian Academy, K-12; Grace Bible School

Oxford County United Parish
Rev. James Wilcox
Time: 10 a.m.
Place: North Waterford during March; East Stoneham during April

West Bethel Union Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Phone: Church 836-2692; Home 583-6588
Parish Day Wednesday
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Mrs. Rodney Kimball, Cantor
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Rev. Jonathan Haslett, Pastor
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Sunday
9:30 a.m. Worship service.
10:30 a.m. Sunday School (nursery care for pre-schoolers during worship).
6:00 p.m. Joint service at the North Paris Federated Church.
Tuesday
7:00 p.m. Bible study.
Wednesday
7:00 p.m. Choir.

First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Andover
Rev. E. Marquette Churchill
Phone: Church 332-6070; Parsonage 332-3081
Organist, Linda B. Dyer
Choir Director, Bonnie Thibodeau
Sunday School Superintendents
Sharon Farrington and Marjorie S. Bartlett
Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship Service.
Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday School.
Sunday: 6 p.m. Youth Group.
Wednesday: 7 p.m. Bible Study at C.E.B.
Thursday: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study at C.E.B.
Thursday: 7 p.m. Adult Choir practice.
Ladies Aid, every other Tuesday, noon, C.E.B.

West Paris First Universalist Church
Rev. Herbert Adams
8:30 a.m. Worship Service
Choir practice, Sunday 6:30 a.m.
Albany Congregational Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Phone: 883-4888
Regular services Sundays, 11 a.m. (starting May 28 through September).

Bethel United Methodist Church
Main Street, Bethel
Rev. Lisa Vanderhulst
Tel. 824-3010
Administrative Board Chairman, Richard Stevens
Sunday
8:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:30 Worship Service. Nursery care provided.
U.M.W. first Thursday of each month, 1:30 p.m. Anyone needing prayers of church members or knowing of someone in need please call Mrs. Wallace Saunders or Mrs. Randall Stevens.

West Parish Congregational United Church of Christ
Church Street, Bethel
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Co-Pastors
Miss Mary Valentine, Minister of Music
Sunday
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Rte. 26, Bethel
D.N. Larson, Pastor
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Evening Service, 6 p.m.
Wednesday
Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Church Street
John Clayton, Pastor
Tel. 824-3020
Sunday
Sunday School (for all ages including adults), 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service, 6 p.m.
Wednesday
Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.
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Unitarian-Universalist Church
of Bryant Pond
Rev. David J. Armstrong
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I will not be responsible for Leslie Thurston's bills as of May 17, 1989.

Patricia Thurston
Bethel, Maine

NOTES FROM SAD #44 Guidance

Twelve members of the SAD #44 Guidance Advisory Committee met for their regular monthly meeting on May 1 at the Andover Elementary School. Recognition programs for school volunteers and student achievement were the main topics of discussion, followed by an update on the progress made by the recently formed Life Skills Committee.

Members brainstormed ideas for recognizing school volunteers at the Middle School at the request of Counselor Sally Hannon. Mrs. Hannon was pleased with the suggestions made and will incorporate many of these in the school's end-of-the-year ceremonies.

In discussing ways the schools were recognizing student achievements, members learned that a variety of methods were in place throughout the district. New this year at the Middle School will be special programs designed to acknowledge students for perfect attendance, bringing up grades, consecutive honor roll status and citizenship.

Members all agreed these efforts were important and needed. Though budget and time constraints were seen as problems to be overcome, members feel it is something that should be given major emphasis in the overall school program at each level. Committee members also expressed these views: 1) that students need to be recognized by their peers as well as adults, 2) that students want and need to receive positive feedback from teachers and that counselors should continue to encourage this, 3) that parents can benefit from hearing "good news" too from the schools, 4) that the paycheck in terms of raised self-esteem far exceeds the time and money necessary to implement these efforts, and 5) that low parent participation in middle school and high school functions was a real area of concern that needed to be addressed.

A letter from Nancy MacKillop, chair-

woman of the Life Skills Committee, was read in her absence, updating Advisory members of the group's progress. Their seven member committee had reviewed Life Skills curriculum from other high schools, talked with school administrators and had prepared an outline for a possible new senior course offering. This outline is being submitted to Principal Theodore Davis. If approved, this proposed nine-week course will be offered as a second semester elective for seniors in the '89-90 school year. This will give home economics instructors the opportunity to pilot the curriculum.

The proposed course outline includes the following topics: 1) decisions about the future (i.e., jobs, living arrangements, necessities vs. luxuries); 2) nutrition (i.e., meal preparation, budget, setting tables, manners, small appliances); 3) care of clothing (i.e., sorting laundry, cost comparison of laundromats vs. home, basic sewing, stain removal); 4) health/C.P.R.; 5) finances (i.e., checking and savings accounts, establishing credit, income tax, payroll deductions, insurance, renting, scams, owning a car); 6) individual budgeting (i.e., food, clothing, shelter, transportation, insurance, recreation). During the '89-90 school year, the committee will further its goal to have this course included in the district's graduation requirements. The next Guidance Advisory meeting will be a pollack supper, at 8 p.m., at the home of Melinda Remington, Bethel, on Wednesday, May 31. Members will

'Carousel' on stage this Saturday at Gould

"Carousel" will be performed on the Bingham Auditorium stage on Saturday, May 20, at 8 p.m. The Rodgers and Hammerstein musical, which debuted on Broadway in 1945, features such favorite old songs as "If I Loved You," "June is Busting Out All Over," "This Was a Real Nice Clambake," and "You'll Never Walk Alone." The setting for the musical is the coast of Maine.

The cast includes students and adults, from Crescent Park School, Telstar Regional High School, Gould Academy and the local community. Leading roles are played by Brenna Simpson, Paul Loderidge, Heidi Dixon, Will Stuart, Todd Posey, Catherine Ferris, Becky Hanscom and Kevin Davis. Choreography is by Barbara Gasser, costume design by Vicki Rekliffe, with props created and gathered by Nancy Grover. The production is under the direction of Carol Fiske and will be accompanied on the piano by Roberta Muse.

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reflect upon their year's work and discuss goals for another year.

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Obituaries

RALPH S. HALL

Ralph S. Hall, 97, of Bethel, died Sunday, May 14, 1989, at the Rumford Community Hospital, where he had been a patient for the past month.

He was born in Dorchester, Mass., on March 15, 1892, the son of Stacy L. and Myra Tupper Hall. He was a graduate of Roxbury High School, Roxbury, Mass., and attended electrical schools at Holy Engineering and Wentworth Institute, Boston, Mass. He served with the U.S. Army Medical Corps during World War I. He married the former Marion Foster on Aug. 14, 1919. They lived in Massachusetts for several years, where he was the owner of Hall & Cole, Inc., a fresh fruit and vegetable business, which he operated in the Faneuil Hall market in Boston. He and his wife moved to Bethel more than 35 years ago and made their home on Paradise Street. He had been affiliated with the Boston Fire Department and, after moving to Bethel, became a member of the Bethel Fire Department, where he was made an honorary chief.

He was a member of Dorchester Lodge, AF & AM, Dorchester, Mass.; a member of the West Parish Congregational Church, and holder of the Boston Post gold-headed cane for the Town of Bethel. He received the cane, given to the oldest resident in town, in December 1986.

He is survived by his wife of Bethel; a granddaughter, Mrs. Pamela DeBolis, of Pawtucket, R.I.; two nephews and a cousin. He was predeceased by a daughter, Muriel, who died in 1978. Memorial services will be held at the West Parish Congregational Church, at a date and time to be announced. Contributions in his memory may be made to the West Parish Congregational Church, P.O. Box 23, Bethel 04217.

MYRTLE F. LAPHAM

Myrtle F. Lapham, 88, of Northwest Bethel Road, Bethel, died early Tuesday morning, May 16, 1989, at Ledgeview Nursing Home, where she had resided since April 1988.

She was born at Bethel, Oct. 3, 1900, the daughter of Irving H. and Arvilla Grover Wilson. She was educated in the Northwest Bethel School and at Gould Academy. She was married to Leslie Lapham, Sept. 30, 1930 and lived most of her life in Bethel, except for 10 years when she lived in Rumford. She taught school at the Middle Intervale and North Bethel Schools and was later employed as a bookkeeper at Stowell's mill in Bethel. She was a member of the Bethel United Methodist Church, the United Methodist Women and the Bethel Senior Citizens.

Survivors include her husband, of Northwest Bethel (presently a resident of Ledgeview Nursing Home) and two brothers, Rev. Elwin L. Wilson and Rev. Evans L. Wilson, both of Orono. Funeral services will be held Thursday, at 1 p.m., from the Greenleaf Funeral Home, Bethel, with interment at Sunnyside Cemetery, Rumford. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to the Bethel Methodist Church Memorial Fund, c/o Vera Dyke, Box 305, Bethel 04217.

News from the Bethel Area

Health Center

Marianne Morin, Alzheimer's caregiver and chairwoman of the Norway Alzheimer's Support Group, spoke recently at Ledgeview Nursing Home on the topic "Alzheimer's Disease and Alzheimer's Support Groups."

Nearly 30 Alzheimer's caregivers attended this program, including registered nurses, licensed practical nurses, certified nurse assistants, licensed social workers. They represented Ledgeview, Norway, and Cozy Inn Nursing Homes, the Bethel Area Health Center, and Androscoggin Home Health Services. Family members and friends of Alzheimer's Disease patients attended from area communities.

For more information about Alzheimer's Disease and the Alzheimer's support groups in Maine, contact Marianne Morin, at 539-4273.

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Community Calendar

Friday, May 19: Poppy Day in Bethel. West Paris Historical Society meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 20: Poppy Day in Bethel. Clean-up day, East Bethel Cemetery, 9 a.m.

Open House at the Maine National Guard's Bog Brook Camp, in Gilead; tour begins at 10 a.m., followed by demonstrations by Guardsmen. For more information, call 838-9836. Oxford County Retired Teachers meeting, American Legion Hall, Oxford, 10:30 a.m.

Public baked bean supper, at the Tri-Town Rescue barn, Trap Corner, 5:30-7 p.m.

"Carousell" on stage at Gould's Bingham Auditorium, 8 p.m. Free.

Sunday, May 21: Tri-Town Rescue Wall/Bike-a-thon, starting at the Agnes Gray School, 12:30 p.m.

Car wash, bake and lawn sale, at the Andover Fire Station, to benefit the graduating seniors from Andover.

The Bedard Trio, concert at the Nazarene Church, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, May 24: Stage One Studio of Dance demonstration, at Telstar auditorium, 7 p.m. Adults \$3, under-12 \$1.

Sunday, May 27: 14th annual Iris Show, Oxford Hills Junior High School, 1-5 p.m.

Public supper, North Paris Community Hall, 5-6 p.m.

Baked bean supper at Bear River Grange Hall, Newry, 5:30 p.m.

Andover Library Hours: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1:30-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841. Story hour each Tuesday afternoon, from 3 to 4 (pre-school to Grade 2).

Bethel Library Hours: Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday, 1-5 p.m., pre-school story hour, 10-11 a.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Betsy Raymond, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 655-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Friday, 1-5 p.m.

Hamil Memorial Library, Paris Hill, Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 10-4; Saturday, 10-4; Wednesday evening, 7-9. Telephone: 743-2880.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Library hours: Monday, 3-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

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DEADLINES

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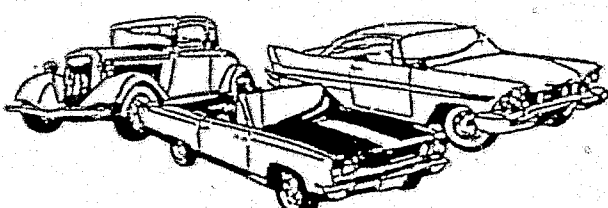
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At Andover...

Elderwood Manor Items

by Florence Hall

Dorothy Elliott is visiting with a cousin, Phyllis Chandler, in Lovell for a few days.

Mary Thurston called on friends at the Manor recently.

Sunday callers at Catherine McGuire's were her sister, Dora Morton, and sister, Laura Staples and son, of Portland.

Congratulations to Florence and Albert Howes. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday.

Florence Hall has violets budded outside under her kitchen window.

Anne Fox and Florence Hall attended a Historical Society meeting with a group at Beverly Swan's on Wednesday.

Thought of the day: Great art can't hold a candle to a Kindergarten picture painted with love.

Calvary Congregational Church

Rev. Donald Grover's message: "The Blessing of the Lord." Zephaniah, 3:10-20

The choir sang: "Only believe."

Missionary moments: A letter was read by the pastor on the plight and poverty of a forgotten people in Brazil. Christ is the answer, can we help as his church in some way?

Closing hymn: "The longer I serve him."

May 21, Baccalaureate service, Hobbs Pond, trio and a delicious dinner, everyone welcome.

BETHEL AREA HEALTH CENTER

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